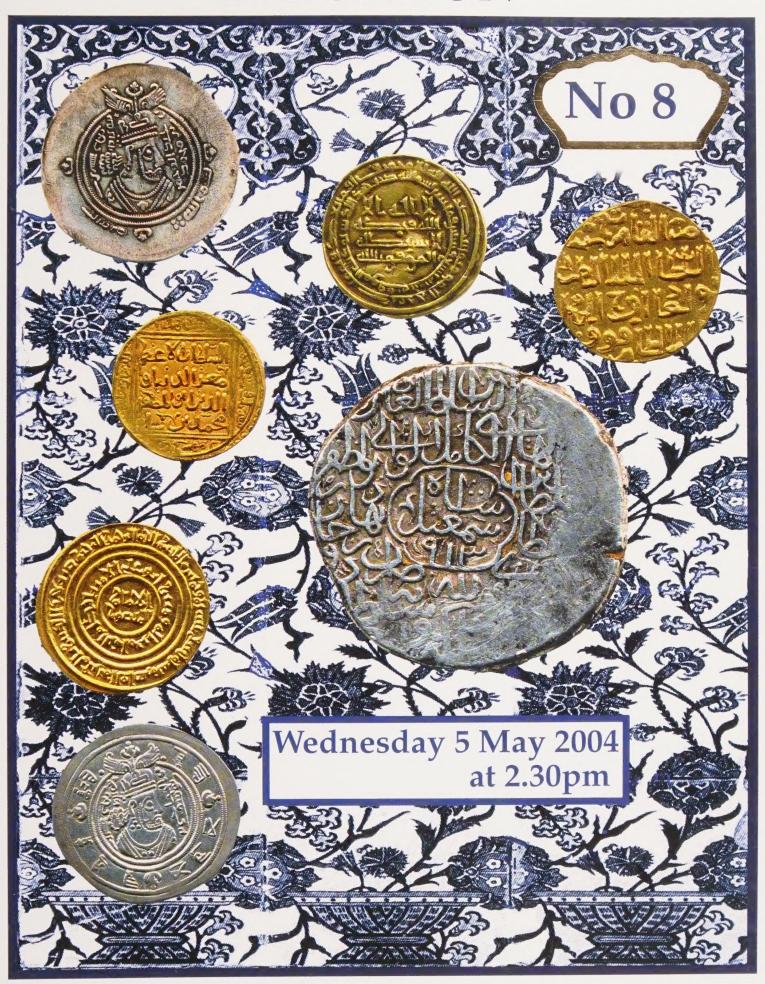
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ARAB-SASANIAN





1 Anonymous, Drachm, Yazdigerd type, SK (Sijistan) 20ye (frozen date), 3.79g (Walker 3-9; SICA 353-357). *Very fine, scarce.* £60-80





Anonymous, Drachm, Khusraw type, ART (Ardashir Khurra) 29ye, 4.06g (Walker M.6; SICA -). Light scratches in obverse margin, very fine and rare. £100-120





3 Anonymous, Drachm, Khusraw type, BYSh (Bishapur) 50h, with two countermarks in *obv* margin, 3.90g (Walker 33; SICA 133-134). *Very fine.* £40-60





4 Mu'awiya (41-60h), Drachm, DA (Darabjird) 43h (frozen date), 3.74g (Walker B.3 var; SICA 245). Surfaces lightly scratched, otherwise good very fine, rare. £100-120





Ziyad b. Abi Sufyan (45-55h), Drachm, DA (Darabjird) 43h (frozen date), 4.11g (Walker 58; SICA 242). *Good very fine*. £40-60





'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad (55-64h), Drachm, BJRA (Basra) 59h, 4.06g (Walker 82; SICA 58). *Margins lightly scratched, about extremely fine.* £40-60





7 'Abd Allah b. al-Zubayr (60-73h), Drachm, ART (Ardashir Khurra) 67h, 4.04g (Walker B.4; SICA 18). Small edge chip, otherwise extremely fine, rare. £100-120





'Abd Allah b. al-Zubayr, Drachm, DA (Darabjird) 59ye, 4.15g (Walker -; SICA 261). Extremely fine with some toning, rare thus.





Salm b. Ziyad (c.61-65h), Drachm, APRShT (Abarshahr) 62h, 4.05g (Walker 109 var; SICA -). Good very fine, very rare. £300-400





Salm b. Ziyad, Drachm, MRW (Marw) 63h, with three countermarks in *obv* margin, 3.65g (Walker 125 var; SICA 333 var). *Good very fine, countermarks clear, very rare.* £300-400





Salm b. Ziyad, Drachm, MRW (Marw) 64h, 3.70g (Walker 134; SICA 334). *Pierced, surfaces lightly scratched, otherwise very fine, rare.* £40-60





Talha b. 'Abd Allah (c.64-66h), Drachm, SK (Sijistan) 64h, 4.00g (Walker Th.11; SICA -). Minor corrosion in margins, good very fine and very rare. £400-500





'Abd al-Malik b. Marwan (65-86h), Drachm, ART (Ardashir Khurra) 73h, 4.03g (Walker 37; SICA -). Minor corrosion in margins, good very fine and extremely rare. £300-400





'Abd al-'Aziz b. 'Abd Allah (c.66-67h), Drachm, SK (Sijistan) 69h, with countermark Ja'iz, 3.94g (Walker -; SICA -). Very fine and rare. £250-300





'Umar b. 'Ubayd Allah (67-70h), Drachm, ART (Ardashir Khurra) 70h, 2.65g (Walker Cam.9 var; SICA 29). Clipped, otherwise very fine, scarce.





16 Mu'sab b. al-Zubayr (c.67-71h), Drachm, KRMAN-NAR (Narmashir) 70h, 4.11g (Walker M.49 var; SICA -). Good very fine, very rare.





al-Qatari b. al-Fuja'a (c.69-79h), Drachm, BYSh (Bishapur) 75h, 4.11g (Walker 219; SICA 193-198). *Very fine, rare.* £200-250





al-Qatari b. al-Fuja'a, Drachm, DA (Darabjird)
76h, 4.11g (Walker -; SICA -). Light scratch in
reverse margin, otherwise extremely fine, very
rare.
£700-900





19 al-Qatari b. al-Fuja'a, Drachm, TART (Tawwaj) 75h, 3.79g (Walker -; SICA -). Slightly pitted behind head on obverse, otherwise good very fine, very rare. £1,500-1,800







20 'Atiya b. al-Aswad (c.71-76h), Drachm, KRMAN-AN (unidentified mint) 72h, with countermark lilla, 3.97g (Walker 216; SICA 316 var). Some surface corrosion in margins, otherwise very fine, scarce. £150-200





'Atiya b. al-Aswad, Drachm, KRMAN-AN 21 (unidentified mint) 75h, 3.69g (Walker -; SICA -). Small edge chip, some corrosion on reverse, otherwise good very fine, rare. £100-120





Muqatil b. Misma' (72-73h), Drachm, BYSh 22 (Bishapur) 73h, 4.06g (Walker 208; SICA 190). Good very fine, very rare. £300-400





Khalid b. 'Abd Allah (c.73-75h), Drachm, 23 BYSh (Bishapur) 74h, 3.56g (Walker 214-215; SICA 192). About extremely fine, rare. £100-120





Umayya b. 'Abd Allah (74-77h), Drachm, SK (Sijistan) 77h, 3.99g (Walker -; SICA -). Some surface deposit otherwise good very fine, very £400-500





al-Muhallab b. Abi Sufra (c.75-79h), Drachm, 25 ART (Ardashir Khurra) 76h, 4.02g (Walker ANS.15; SICA 37). Small edge chip, minor deposit on obverse, good very fine and scarce. £80-100





al-Muhallab b. Abi Sufra, Drachm, BYSh 26 (Bishapur) 76h, 4.03g (Walker 224-226; SICA 211-214). *Good very fine.* £40-60





al-Hajjaj b. Yusuf (75-95h), Drachm, BYSh (Bishapur) 76h, obv marginal legend written radially, 3.95g (Walker 230; SICA 215). Small edge knock, good very fine, very rare. £800-1,000





al-Hajjaj b. Yusuf, Drachm, DA-P (Fasa) 71ye, governor's name in Pahlavi, 4.06g (Walker -; SICA -). About extremely fine, extremely rare. £1,000-1,200





al-Hajjaj b. Yusuf, Drachm, BYSh (Bishapur)
77h, obv marginal legend written radially,
4.06g (Walker 232; SICA 216). About extremely
fine, very rare. £800-1,000





'Abd al-Rahman b. Muhammad (c.81-84h),
Drachm, BYSh (Bishapur) 81h, governor's
name in Arabic, 4.03g (Walker -; SICA -).
Toned extremely fine and excessively rare, believed
unrecorded. £2,000-2,500





29 al-Hajjaj b. Yusuf, Drachm, BYSh (Bishapur) 77h, obv marginal legend written normally, 3.90g (Walker 233; SICA 218-219).

Very fine. £200-250





'Abd al-Rahman b. Muhammad, Drachm, SK (Sijistan) 81h, governor's name in Pahlavi, with countermark *Allah*, 4.18g (Walker -; SICA -). *About extremely fine, extremely rare*. £600-800





al-Hajjaj b. Yusuf, Drachm, BYSh (Bishapur) 78h, obv marginal legend written normally, 3.69g (Walker 235; SICA 221). About extremely fine.





Muhammad, Drachm, mint unidentified (probably in Adharbayjan), date unclear (40ye?), waf in obv margin, 3.05g (Walker B.39; SICA 494). Very fine and extremely rare. £600-800

Drachms (4), BJRA (Basra) (3), SK (Sijistan).

All clipped, one with chipped edge, otherwise fine to very fine. (4)

£40-60





Anonymous, Fals, Zaranj, undated, bust right, rev mint-name in Arabic, nekih and abzon in Pahlavi below, 2.60g (Gyselen 50; Walker 351).

About very fine, very rare. £80-100

Eastern Sistan series





37 Qudama, Drachm, mintname and date blundered, 3.17g (A 86). Edge broken due to piercing, otherwise very fine, very rare. £80-100





38 Talha b. Rida, Drachm, SK (Sijistan), date illegible, 2.80g (A -). Surfaces lightly corroded, good fine and very rare. £200-250

ARAB-BYZANTINE





- **Anonymous**, Fals, type IV, Dimashq, undated, *obv* two standing figures, 3.07g (Walker 42; SICA 575). *Good fine, rare*. £80-100
- **Anonymous**, Fals, standing caliph type, Iliya Filistin; **ABBASID**, Fals, (Ghazza) 217h. *Good very fine and about very fine*. (2) £150-200
- **Anonymous,** Fulus (6), Tabariya, with mintname (2), with religious legends (4). *Generally about fine.* (6) £120-150

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42 *temp* 'Abd al-Malik (65-86h), Dinar, 78h, 4.24g (Walker 187). *Good very fine*. £200-250





43 temp 'Abd al-Malik, Dirham, Shaqq al-Taymara 79h, 2.83g (Klat 201). Good very fine and rare. £1,500-2,000





temp 'Abd al-Malik, Dirham, Junday Sabur 80h, 2.49g (Klat 235). *Fine, rare.* £100-120





temp 'Abd al-Malik, Dirham, al-Kufa 80h, 2.69g (Klat 541). *Slightly clipped, very fine and scarce.* £140-160





temp 'Abd al-Malik, Dirham, Mah al-Basra 81h, 2.90g (Klat 552). About extremely fine, rare. £1,200-1,500





47 temp 'Abd al-Malik, Dirham, Marw 81h, mintname in Pahlavi in lower obv field, 2.92g (Klat 583). About extremely fine, scarce. £400-500





temp al-Walid I (86-96h), ¹3-Dinar, 92h, 1.39g (Walker UM.2). Small scratch in obverse field otherwise very fine, rare. £300-400





temp al-Walid I, Dirham, Manadhir 92h, 2.81g (Klat 616.a). Very fine, rare. £100-120





temp al-Walid I / Sulayman, ¹ 3-Dinar, 96h, 1.36g
 (Walker 211). Very fine. £250-300





temp al-Walid I / Sulayman, ¹/₅-Dinar, 96h, 1.42g (Walker 211). *Very fine.* £250-300





temp al-Walid I / Sulayman, ¹3-Dinar, 96h, 1.33g (Walker 211). Some light scratches, about very fine. £120-140





temp al-Walid I / Sulayman, ¹3-Dinar, 96h, 1.36g (Walker 211). Light graffiti, scraped in centre of reverse, good fine. £80-100





54 *temp* 'Umar (99-101h), Dinar, 100h, 4.28g (Walker 216). *About extremely fine*. £100-120





55 temp 'Umar, ¹3-Dinar 100h, 1.42g (Walker 217). Slightly creased, otherwise good very fine. £250-300





56 *temp 'Umar*, ¹₃-Dinar 100h, 1.39g (Walker 217). *Very fine.* £250-300





57 temp 'Umar / Yazid II, ¹3-Dinar 101h, 1.33g (Walker -). Very fine and very rare. £800-1,000





58 *temp* Yazid II (101-105h), ¹/₃-Dinar, 103h, 1.41g (Walker 222). *Edge knock, very fine and extremely rare.* £1,200-1,500



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temp Yazid II, Dinar, 104h, 4.26g (Walker 223). Extremely fine. £250-300





temp Yazid II, Dirham, Ifriqiya 103h, 2.89g (Klat 90.2). *Very fine, scarce.* £80-100





temp **Hisham** (105-125h), Dinar, 108h, 4.24g (Walker 228). *Extremely fine*. £200-250





62 *temp* Hisham, Dinar, 108h, 4.16g (Walker 228). *Very fine.* £160-180





63 temp Hisham, Dirham, Dimashq 115h, 2.76g (Klat 359). Edge clip at 6 to 7 o'clock, otherwise very fine, rare. £800-1,000





64 temp Hisham, Dirham, Dimashq 122h, 2.82g (Klat 366). Very fine, rare. £200-250





65 temp Hisham, Dirham, al-Mubaraka 117h, 2.88g (Klat 575). Broad flan, good very fine, rare. £100-120



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temp Marwan II (127-132h), Dinar, 128h, 4.27g (Walker 248). Minor marks on edge, good very fine and scarce. £160-180





temp Marwan II, Dinar, 131h, 4.26g (Walker 251). Extremely fine, scarce. £160-180





temp Marwan II, Dirham, al-Samiya 131h, 2.93g (Klat 431). Good very fine, scarce. £60-80

69 Dinars (3): *temp* 'Abd al-Malik, 80h (Walker 190); *temp* al-Walid I, 90h, 91h (Walker 201, 202). *Fine to about very fine*. (3) £160-180

- 70 Dinars (2): *temp* Hisham, 111h (Walker 231); *temp* Marwan II, 129h (Walker 249). *Both from mounts, about very fine and very fine*. (2) £120-140
- 71 Dirhams (32): *temp* 'Abd al-Malik, al-Basra 81h; *temp* al-Walid I, al-Taymara 92h, Jayy 90h(2), Darabjird 92h(6), Sabur 92h(2), 95h, Marw 90h(3), Manadhir 95h(2), Wasit 90h(3), 92h(2), 93h(5), 95h(4). *Varied state, two pierced, some scarce.* (32) £120-140
- 72 Dirhams (2): temp al-Walid I, Darabjird 92h (Klat 293); temp al-Walid I / Sulayman, Suq al-Ahwaz 96h (Klat 493.2). The first very fine, the second good very fine and scarce. (2) £40-60
- Dirhams (9): temp al-Walid I, Kirman 90h, Marw 90h, Manadhir 91h; temp Sulayman (96-99h), Mahay 97h, 98h, Manadhir 97h; temp Yazid II, Kirman 103h; temp Hisham, al-Mubaraka 119h(2). Varied state, some scarce or rare. (9)
- 74 Dirhams (5): *temp* al-Walid I, Mahay 91h, Nahr Tira 94h, Herat 90h; *temp* al-Walid I / Sulayman, Hamadhan 96h; *temp* Marwan II, al-Samiya 131h. *Fine to very fine, the third with some surface deposit, all scarce.* (5) £120-140
- Dirhams (20): temp al-Walid I / Sulayman, Wasit 96h; temp Sulayman, al-Taymara 97h, Wasit 97h(2); temp Sulayman / 'Umar, Dimashq 99h(4), Wasit 99h; temp Yazid II / Hisham, Wasit 105h(3); temp Hisham, Wasit 107h, 108h, 109h, 113h, 121h(2), 124h; temp Ibrahim / Marwan II, Wasit 127h. Very fine to extremely fine. (20) £60-80
- 76 Dirhams (30), Wasit: 85h(2), 92h(3), 94h, 95h(2), 96h, 99h, 103h, 105h, 117h, 119h, 121h, 122h(2), 123h(3), 124h(4), 125h, 126h(2), 127h, 129h(2). Fine to extremely fine, two pierced. (30) £80-100

Umayyad Copper Coinage

without mintname or date

- Fulus (2), rev bird flying left (Walker 590), another, similar but with only one outer circle on obv (Walker 591). Fine, scarce. (2) £60-80
- Fulus (3), rev pomegranate, legend begins at upper right (Walker 595), another, rev legend begins at lower right (Walker 595 var), another, rev legend begins at lower left (Walker 595 var). Fine, scarce. (3)

 £60-80



79 Fals, rev chalice (candelabra?), 3.77g (Walker 596). Fine, rare. £40-60



Fals, rev pentalpha, 4.30g (Walker 599). Good fine, scarce. £40-60



81 Fals, rev lion, 2.23g (Walker * [p204]). Fine, rare. £40-60



Fals, tree on *obv* and *rev*, 2.96g (Walker 606). *Good fine, scarce.* £40-60

Fulus (3), *obv* and *rev* legends within squares (Walker 610), another, standard type, pellets flanking *Allah* on *rev* (Walker 622), another, pellets above and below *Muhammad* on *rev* (Walker 625 var). *Fine to very fine, the first scarce.* (3)

Fulus (4), standard type, no additional marks (Walker 631), another, similar but with small symbol below *rev* legend (Walker 631 var), another, similar but small flan (Walker 638), another, similar but with star in middle line of *obv* legend (Walker 654 var). *Fine to very fine*. (4)

Fulus (2), rev fish (Walker 686), another, similar but small flan (Walker 688). Fine, rare. (2) £60-80

Fulus (3), longer legends (Walker 724), another, similar but with six-pointed star in second line of *obv* legend (Walker 725), another, similar but with eight-pointed star (Walker 726). *Fine to very fine, scarce.* (3) £80-100

Fulus (2), *obv* duck to right (Walker 730), another, similar but duck to left (Walker 732 var). *Fine, scarce.* (2) £60-80





Fals, *obv* standard legend in two lines with *lashr*? below, *rev* large crescent with pellet above, *Muhammad rasul Allah* around, 2.86g (Walker -). *Fine, very rare*. £80-100





89 Fals, with the name of al-Qasim b. 'Ubayd Allah, the finance director in Egypt, 5.63g (Walker 925a). Good fine, scarce. £40-60

with mintname



90 Fals, Iliya (Jerusalem), 3.09g (Walker P.124). Very fine, rare. £80-100





91 Fals, Jurjan 114h, 2.32g (Walker -; A 202). Good fine, very rare. £60-80





92 Fals, Jurjan, undated, 2.62g (Walker -; A 202 var). Very fine and extremely rare. £120-140





Fals, Halab, eight-pointed star in second line of obv legend, 4.60g (Walker 789). Obverse very fine, reverse fine. £40-60





94 Fals, Hims, *obv* elephant, 2.08g (Walker 795). *Fine, scarce.* £40-60



95 Fals, Hims, mintname below *rev* legend, 1.70g (Walker 799). *Very fine, rare.* £80-100





96 Fals, Hims, *obv* pellet within circle, *rev* pellet within crescent, 2.09g (Walker 801). *About very fine, scarce.* £40-60

97 Fulus (2), Hims, with the name of the governor Marwan b. Bishr, *obv* jerboa (Walker 804, 805). *Fine, scarce.* (2) £60-80





98 Fals, Hims 116h, 4.26g (Walker 807). Some weakness, otherwise good very fine, scarce. £60-80





99 Fals, Dimashq, obv six-pointed star, rev pentalpha, 2.23g (Walker 812). Fine, scarce. £40-60

100 Fulus (4), Dimashq, mintname below *rev* legend (Walker 829, 832), another, mintname in *rev* margin (Walker 837), another, similar but three annulets with pellets between outer circles on *obv*, inner circle on *rev* (Walker 838). *Fine to good fine.* (4) £80-100





Fals, Dimashq, *obv* two outer circles without annulets, *rev* inner circle, mintname in margin, 4.74g (Walker -). *Very fine, rare.* £60-80





Fals, Dimashq, marginal legends on *obv* and *rev*, inner circle on *obv*, no inner circle on *rev*, 4.65g (Walker -). *About fine, mintname clear, rare.* £60-80

Fulus (3), al-Ramla, rev palm branch to right of legend (Walker 846), another, similar but with last letter of rasul on bottom line of rev legend (Walker 846 var), another, similar but with last letter of rasul missing (Walker 846 var). Very fine, irregular flans. (3)

Fulus (10), al-Ramla, *rev* palm branch to right of legend (Walker 846). *Fine or better*. (10) £100-120

Fulus (3), al-Ramla, *rev* palm branch to right of legend, *ahd* on *obv* retrograde (Walker 846 var), another, similar but *ahd* normal, rectangular flan (Walker 846 var), another, similar but thin flan (Walker 847). *Fine to good fine*. (3) £60-80





Fals, al-Ramla, *rev* palm branch to right of legend, three pellets below *Muhammad*, 3.69g (Walker 849). *Very fine, scarce.* £40-60

Fulus (2), al-Ramla, *rev* palm branch to left of legend, last letter of *rasul* missing (Walker 853), another, similar but last letter of *rasul* present (Walker 853 var). *Fine*, *scarce*. (2) £40-60





Fals, al-Ramla, marginal legends on *obv* and *rev*, pentalpha in *rev* margin, 2.90g (Walker P.132). *Small stain on reverse otherwise very fine, very rare.* £80-100

Fulus (5), al-Ramla, *obv* tree, *rev* pellet in crescent (Walker 855, 856), another, similar but with additional branch on each side of tree (Walker 857), another, similar but large flan (Walker 857 var), another, similar but first letter of *al-fals* missing (Walker 857 var). *Fine to very fine.* (5) £80-100

Fulus (4), al-Ramla, *obv* tree, *rev* pellet in crescent, mintname written *al-rama* (Walker 863), another, similar but no pellet on *rev* (Walker 869), another, similar but additional branch on each side of tree (Walker 872), another, similar but first letter of *al-fals* missing (Walker 873). *Fine to very fine*. (4) £60-80

Fulus (2), Sabur, dates unclear (Walker -; A A205). Fine, very rare. (2) £100-120



- Fals, Tabariya, *obv* amphora?, *rev* mintname in centre, 2.41g (Walker P.137). *Fine, rare.* £60-80
- Fulus (2), Tabariya, small annulet at end of second line of *obv* legend (Walker 893 var), another, similar but with pellet instead of annulet (Walker 895). *Good fine*. (2) £40-60
- Fulus (3), Tabariya, rev palm branch to right of legend (Walker 897), another, similar but with marginal legend on obv (Walker 898), another, similar but palm branch smaller (Walker 899). Fine to good fine. (3) £60-80



Fals, Tabariya, rev lion to right of legend, 3.92g (Walker ANS.42). Obverse fair, reverse fine, very rare. £60-80



Fals, 'Asqalan, palm branch in *rev* margin, 3.19g (Walker 903). Some weakness, good fine and very rare. £100-120



Fals, Filistin, palm branch in *rev* margin, 5.47g (Walker 911). *Good fine, rare.* £60-80

with date but no mintname



118 Fals, date unclear (100h?), 4.36g (Walker B.61). *Fine, scarce.* £40-60





119 Fals, 110h, 4.40g (Walker -). *Partly weak, good fine, rare.* £60-80





Fals, 116h, 5.15g (Walker 954). Fine, scarce with clear date. £40-60





Fals, 116h, similar to last but *rev* legend arranged differently, 3.91g (Walker -). *Good fine, rare.* £60-80

UMAYYAD REVOLUTIONARY





Anonymous, Dirham, al-Kufa 128h, *la hukm illa lillah* in outer *obv* margin, 2.90g (Klat 548.a). *Good very fine, rare.* £250-300





123 **Abu Muslim,** Fals, Sijistan 131h, mintname in rev margin, 4.11g (Wurtzel -). Minor surface deposit, flaw in centre of reverse, fine and extremely rare. £200-250

ABBASID





al-Mansur (136-158h), Fals, Istakhr 145h, with the name of the governor Isma'il b. 'Ali in *obv* margin, 2.65g (Lowick 722). *Centres weak, good fine and extremely rare.* £100-120





al-Mahdi (158-169h), Dinar, 160h, 4.24g (Lowick 274). *About extremely fine*. £100-120





126 al-Mahdi, Dinar, 162h, 4.24g (Lowick 280). *Extremely fine.* £120-140





127 al-Mahdi, Dinar, 164h, 4.23g (Lowick 298 var). *Good very fine*. £80-100





al-Mahdi, Dirham, al-Yamama 166h, *hajar* in lower *rev* field, 2.83g (Lowick 574). *Very fine, rare.* £400-500

al-Mahdi, Fals, Jurjan 161h, with the name of the governor Muhammad b. al-Husayn (Lowick -); other Abbasid Fulus (5), mintnames and dates unclear. The first scratched otherwise fine, very rare, the others poor to fair. (6) £60-80

al-Rashid (170-193h), Dinars (3), no mintname (Misr): 174h, 'Umar in lower rev field (Lowick 28), 178h, 181h, Ja'far in lower rev field (Lowick 50, 56). The first tooled with digs in fields, about fine and rare, the others fine and very fine. (3) £100-120





al-Rashid, Dinar, no mintname (Misr), 177h, *Ja'far* in lower *rev* field, 4.21g (Lowick 42). *Good very fine*. £80-100

al-Rashid, Dinars (4), no mintname (Misr), 181h, 184h, 185h, 186h, all with *Ja'far* in lower *rev* field (Lowick 56, 59, -, 62). *Fine to very fine, the third rare.* (4) £140-160

al-Rashid, Dinars (2), no mintname (Misr): 188h (Lowick 70), 192h, li'l-khalifa in lower rev field (Lowick 83). The first fine, the second with mountmarks on edge otherwise good very fine. (2) £80-100





al-Rashid, Dirham, Ma'dan Bajunays 191h, in the name of the heir al-Amin, 2.92g (Lowick 905). *Very fine, rare.* £60-80





al-Rashid, Fals, Balkh 187h, with the name of the governor 'Isa in lower *rev* field, 3.15g (SNAT XIVc 511-513). *Fine, rare.* £80-100





al-Rashid, Fals, Jurjan 190h, with the name of the governor Ya'qub b. Ishaq, mintname in *rev* legend only, 2.85g (Lowick 774 var). *Fine*, *very rare*. £60-80





al-Rashid, Fals, al-Rafiqa 189h, 5.39g (Lowick 339). Deposit on reverse, some surface marks, very fine and scarce. £80-100



al-Amin (193-198h), Dinar, no mintname (Misr), 195h, l'il khalifa and al-Amin above and below rev legend, 4.25g (Lowick 87). Minor edge damage, possibly due to mounting, otherwise very fine, scarce.



al-Ma'mun (194-218h), Dinar, no mintname, 207h, double margin on *obv*, 4.11g (Lowick 452). *Very fine, rare*. £140-160

al-Ma'mun, Dinars (3): Misr 203h (Lowick 125), no mintname (Misr), 209h (Lowick 144), Misr 210h (Lowick 150); Dirham, Madinat Isbahan 199h (Lowick 1517). About very fine to good very fine, the first scratched on obverse. (4) £120-140



al-Ma'mun, Dinar, Misr 218h, double margin on obv, 4.17g (Miles ANSMN 162).

Two light scrapes on obverse otherwise good very fine, rare.
£160-180



al-Ma'mun, Dinar, Misr 218h, double margin on *obv*, 4.11g (Miles *ANSMN* 162). *About very fine, rare.* £120-140



al-Ma'mun, Dirham, Arminiya 206h, rev: 'Isa al-Ma'muni / Muhammad / rasul / Allah / al-'Ala bin Muhammad, 2.65g (Lowick -). Very fine and extremely rare.

al-Ma'mun, Dirhams (8): Madinat Isbahan 200h(2), Madinat Samarqand 194h, 195h, 196h, 197h, al-Muhammadiya 197h, Madinat Herat 196h; TAHIRID, Talha b. Tahir (207-213h), Dirham, Samarqand 209h. Mostly very fine, some scarce. (9)



145 **al-Ma'mun**, Dirham, Dimashq 214h, 2.91g (Lowick -). *Crudely struck but very fine, very rare.* £400-500



al-Ma'mun, Dirham, Samarqand 202h, citing al-Rida as heir, with the name of the wazir and amir Dhu'l-Riyasatayn in lower rev field, 2.31g (Lowick 2678). Cracked across centre of coin, minor surface deposit, otherwise very fine, very rare. £100-120

al-Ma'mun, Dirhams (4), Madinat al-Salam 205h(2), 206h, 207h. *The first three extremely fine, the last good very fine.* (4) £120-150



al-Ma'mun, Dirham, Wasit 203h, with al-'Iraq in lower obv field and the name of the wazir and amir Dhu'l-Riyasatayn in lower rev field, double inner circle on rev, 2.92g (Lowick 1486 var). Slightly creased, very fine and extremely rare.

al-Ma'mun, cast Fulus (4), al-Quds 217h, al-Ramla 218h, and uncertain mint, 217h(2); UMMAYYAD, post-reform Fulus (2), al-Ramla and Filistin. *Generally fine*. (6) £350-400



al-Mutawakkil (232-247h), Dinar, Misr 237h, with the name of the heir Abu 'Abd Allah, 4.22g (BN 950). *Good very fine, scarce.* £160-180

al-Mutawakkil, Dinars (2), Misr 239h, 241h. *Both very fine*. (2) £150-200





al-Mutawakkil, Dinar, Misr 240h, with the name of the heir Abu 'Abd Allah, 4.20g (BMC IX 320g). Scrape on obverse, small scratch in reverse field, otherwise good very fine, scarce. £140-160





al-Mutawakkil, Dirham, Isbahan 247h, with the name of the heir al-Mu'tazz, 2.80g (A 230.3). Slightly bent, fine and rare. £60-80





al-Muntasir (247-248h), medallion Dirham, Surra man Ra'a 248h, 4.69g (cf Spink-Taisei Zurich Auction 41, lot 201). Very fine and extremely rare. £2,000-2,500





al-Mu'tazz (251-255h), Dinar, al-Shash 253h, 4.10g (BMC IX 342e). *Very fine, some clipping.* £100-120





al-Mu'tamid (256-279h), Dinar, Madinat al-Muwaffaqiya 269h, with the name of the heir al-Muwaffaq, 4.60g (BMC -; BN -). *Good very fine, excessively rare.* £2,500-3,000

The town of al-Muwaffaqiya was founded in 267h by al-Muwaffaq, the brother of the caliph al-Mu'tamid. Its exact location is not known, although it is likely to have been somewhere south of Basra. The only known coins from this mint date from the three years following its foundation, 268-270h.



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al-Muktafi (289-295h), Dinar, Misr 292h, 3.87g (BN 1077). *Extremely fine*. £160-180





al-Muktafi, Dinar, Misr 293h, 4.16g (KLC 631). *About uncirculated.* £200-250





al-Muktafi, Dirham, Ras al-'Ayn 291h, without the name of the wazir Wali al-dawla, 4.19g (A 244.1). Cleaned, some weakness, otherwise very fine, very rare.





al-Muqtadir (295-320h), Dinar, al-Ahwaz 317h, with the name of the heir Abu'l-'Abbas, 4.18g (BN 1117). Some weakness in margins, very fine.





al-Muqtadir, Dinar, Suq al-Ahwaz 317h, with the name of the heir Abu'l-'Abbas, 3.67g (A 245.2). *Very fine*. £80-100





al-Muqtadir, Dinar, al-Karaj 310h, 4.66g (BMC -; BN -). *Very fine and very rare*. £350-400



al-Muqtadir, Dinar, Madinat al-Salam 306h, with the name of the heir Abu'l-'Abbas, 4.10g (BMC IX 419h). Reverse weakly struck, very fine.

al-Muqtadir, Dinars (2), Madinat al-Salam 307h. *Both good very fine.* (2) £200-250





al-Muqtadir, Dinar, Misr 301h, with the name of the heir Abu'l-'Abbas, 4.12g (BMC I 420). *Reverse weakly struck, very fine.* £80-100





al-Qahir (320-322h), Dinar, al-Karaj 321h, 3.25g (BMC -; BN -). *Minor weakness in legends otherwise good very fine, very rare.* £600-800





al-Qahir, Dinar, Madinat al-Salam 321h, with the name of the heir Abu'l-Qasim, 4.28g (A 250.2). *About extremely fine, very rare.* £200-250





al-Radi (322-329h), double-weight Dinar, Suq al-Ahwaz 323h, 7.84g (Kazan 194 var). *Obverse very weakly struck, about very fine, rare.* £200-300





al-Radi, Dinar, Suq al-Ahwaz 323h, 4.39g (A 254.1). *Very fine*, *scarce*. £120-140





al-Muttaqi (329-333h), Dinar, Madinat al-Salam 331h, citing the amirs Sayf al-dawla and Nasir al-dawla, 3.66g (A 260). Minor peripheral weakness otherwise good very fine, scarce.





171 al-Musta'sim (640-656h), Dinar, Madinat al-Salam 642h, 9.16g (BMC I 505). *Slightly creased, good very fine.* £140-160

Dinars (3): al-Mahdi, 165h, 168h (Lowick 301, 339); al-Rashid, 182h, double margin on *rev*, with the name of the heir al-Amin (Lowick 387). The first and last creased, the second with some tooling, all about very fine. (3) £100-120

173 Dinars (2): al-Ma'mun, Misr 215h; al-Musta'in (248-251h), Misr 249h. Fine and very fine. (2) £150-200

174 Dinars (2): **al-Musta'in,** Misr 249h; **al-Mu'tazz**, Misr 254h. *Both very fine*. (2) £150-200

Dinars (3): **al-Muqtadir**, Misr 313h, 314h; **al-Radi**, Misr 323h. *The first two very fine, the last good very fine*. (3) £250-300

Dinars (5), dates unclear, total weight 18.29g.

Mostly fine. (5) £140-160

177 Dirhams (17): al-Mansur, Madinat al-Salam 152h, 155h, 156h, 157h; al-Mahdi, Madinat al-Salam 161h, 162h; al-Rashid, al-Muhammadiya 188h, 189h, 190h, 191h, 192h, Madinat al-Salam 187h, 188h, 189h, 190h, 191h, 192h. *Mostly fine to very fine, one with remains of mount.* (17) £40-60

178 Dirhams (4): al-Rashid, al-Muhammadiya 170h, Madinat al-Salam 172h; al-Amin, Madinat al-Salam 196h; al-Ma'mun, Madinat al-Salam 203h. *Very fine.* (4) £100-120

179 Dirhams (4): al-Rashid, al-Muhammadiya 170h, 173h, 175h; al-Ma'mun, al-Muhammadiya 207h. *Very fine or better.* (4) £100-120

- Dirhams (4): **al-Ma'mun**, Madinat Isfahan 205h, Madinat Samarqand 198h, Madinat al-Salam 203h; **al-Mutawakkil**, Surra man Ra'a 240h. *Very fine or better, the last stained*. (4) £120-150
- Dirhams (10), various caliphs and mints. *Fine to good very fine.* (10) £80-100

UMAYYAD OF SPAIN

- **Muhammad I (238-273h),** Dirhams (4), al-Andalus 250h(2), 256h, 260h (Miles 142, 148, 153). *Fine to very fine, the last cracked.* (4) £60-80
- 'Abd al-Rahman III (300-350h), Dirham, al-Andalus 331h (Miles 219b); SAMANID, Ahmad b. Isma'il (295-301h), Dirham, al-Shash 295h (A 1446); SHADDADID, al-Fadl b. Muhammad (375-422h), Dirham, Janza 400h, month of Muharram (A 1491); together with four fractional Dirhams, probably north African. The first with flan flaws on obverse, about very fine, the others fine to very fine. (7) £80-100

AGHLABID





184 'Abd Allah I (196-201h), Dinar, 201h, 4.19g (BMC II 191). Minor surface deposit, about very fine, rare. £160-180





Ziyadat Allah I (201-223h), Dinar, 208h, masrur below obv legend, 4.10g (A 438). A few minor scrapes, very fine. £120-140

ZIRID





al-Mu'izz b. Badis (406-454h), Dinar, Madinat 'Izz al-Islam wa'l-Qayrawan, 4.13g (A 458). *Good very fine.* £250-300

RIYAHID





al-Rashid b. Rafi' (c.517-554h), Dinar, Qabis 535h (Hazard 24a var; A 477). Struck from worn dies, very fine and extremely rare. £1,500-2,000

Muwahhid





188 Abu Ya'qub Yusuf I (558-580h), ½-Dinar, Madinat Marrakush, undated, 2.28g (Hazard 489). Good very fine. £200-250





Abu-Hafs 'Umar (646-665h), Dinar, no mintname or date, 4.62g (Hazard 533). *Extremely fine.* £280-320





190 Abu'l-'Ula Idris II (665-668h), Dinar, no mintname or date, 4.60g (Hazard 538). Small flan crack, good very fine and very rare. £800-1,000 ex Lord Grantley, J Schulman Auction 117, Amsterdam, 12 December 1921

HAFSID



191 Abu Yahya Abu Bakr II (710-747h), Dinar, no mintname or date, 4.64g (Hazard 588). Very fine and rare. £200-250



Abu Ishaq Ibrahim II (751-770h), Dinar, no mintname or date, 4.36g (Hazard 607). *Very fine and very rare.* £250-300

ZIYANID



193 Abu 'Abd Allah Muhammad III (804-813h),
Dinar, no mintname or date, 4.59g (Hazard 656).

Very fine and very rare. £300-350

'ALAWI SHARIFS

'Abd al-Rahman II (1238-1276h), Dirhams (2), Hadrat Fas 126xh, 1269h, 2-Falus, no mintname, 1267h, 2-Falus, Marrakesh 1275h, Falus, Rabat 1271h, Falus, mintname unclear, 1273h; Muhammad IV (1276-1290h), Dirham, Fas 1284h, ½-Dirham, Fas 1283h, ¼-Dirham, Fas 1288h, 4-Falus, Fas 1287h, 2-Falus, Marrakesh? 1277h, 2-Falus, Tetuan 1278h; al-Hasan I (1290-1311h), 10-Dirhams, 5-Dirhams, and ½-Dirham 1299h, 2½- and 1-Dirham 1311h. Fine to uncirculated. (17)

'Abd al-'Aziz (1311-1326h), ¼-Rial, Berlin 1318h, ¼-Rial, Paris 1314h, ¼-Rial, Paris 1320h, ½-Dirhams (2), Paris 1320h, 10-Mazunas (4), Fas 1320h(2), 1321h(2), 5-Mazunas, Fas 1320h, 2-Mazunas (2), Fas 1320h, 1-Mazuna (2), Fas 1320h; Yusuf (1330-1346h), 2½-Dirhams, Paris 1331h. Fine to extremely fine. (15) £100-120

al-Hafiz (1326-1330h), 10-, 5-, and 2½-Dirhams, Paris 1329h; French Protectorate, 200- and 100-Francs, 1372h, 50-Francs, 1371h, 20-Francs (3), 1347h, 1366h, 1371h, 5-Francs (3), 1347h, 1365h, 1370h, minor denominations (8); Muhammad V (1346-1381h), 500-Francs, 1376h/1958, Dirham, 1380h/1960; al-Hasan II (1381h-), 5-Dirhams (2), 1384h/1965, 1407h/1987, Dirham (2), 1384h/1965, 1394h/1974, 50-, 20-, 10-, 5-, and 1-Santim, 1394h/1974; commemorative issues, Proof 50-Dirhams (4), 1395h/1975(2), 1396h/1976, 1399h/1979, 5-Dirhams, 1395h/1975. Mostly uncirculated. (38)

TULUNID

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197 Khumarawayh b. Ahmad (270-282h), Dinar, Misr 277h, 4.29g (BN 29; Grabar 37). *Good* very fine. £120-140



Harun b. Khumarawayh (283-292h), Dinar, Filistin 291h, 3.77g (Grabar 96). *Good very fine and very rare.* £600-800



Harun b. Khumarawayh, Dinar, Misr 286h, 4.00g (Grabar 78; BMC IX 228c). Extremely fine. £180-200



200 Harun b. Khumarawayh, Dinar, Misr 289h, with the name of the caliph al-Mu'tadid, 4.05g (Grabar 85 var; BMC IX 229c). Good extremely fine. £200-250

IKHSHIDID



201 Abu'l-Qasim b. al-Ikhshid (334-349h), Dinar, Filistin 335h, 4.26g (A 676). *About very fine.* £150-200

Abu'l-Qasim b. al-Ikhshid, Dinars (2), Filistin 337h, 341h. *Very fine/fair and very fine respectively.* (2) £250-300

Abu'l-Qasim b. al-Ikhshid, Dinars (2), Filistin 341h, 347h. *The second weakly struck in parts, otherwise both fine to very fine.* (2) £250-300



204 'Ali b. al-Ikhshid (349-355h), Dirham, Tabariya 353h, 2.22g (A 679). Weakly struck in places but very fine, rare. £140-160



'Ali b. al-Ikhshid, Dirham, Filistin 353h, with initial *Kaf* in lower *obv* field, 3.49g (BMC II 238). *An even strike, very fine and scarce.* £100-120



206 'Ali b. al-Ikhshid, Dirham, Filistin 353h, with initial *Kaf* in lower *obv* field, 2.37g (BMC II 238). Flan crack, otherwise very fine, scarce. £80-100



207 Kafur (355-357h), Dinar, Misr 355h, in the name of 'Ali b. al-Ikhshid, with initial *Kaf* in lower *obv* field, 3.22g (A 680.1). *About very fine, rare.* £200-250

Muhammad b. Tughj (323-334h), Dirham, Filistin 332h; Abu'l-Qasim b. al-Ikhshid, Dirham, Filistin 349h, with initial Kaf in lower obv field; UMAYYAD, lead Seal, Filistin. Generally fine. (3)

FATIMID



209 al-Mu'izz (341-365h), Dinar, Misr 364h, 4.13g (Miles 44-45). *Good very fine*. £120-150



210 al-'Aziz (365-386h), Dinar, Filistin 369h, 4.18g (Miles -; BMC IV 54). *About extremely fine, very rare.* £1,000-1,200



211 al-'Aziz, Dinar, Filistin 371h, 3.80g (Miles 80). *Clipped, about fine, rare.* £300-350



al-'Aziz, Dinar, Filistin 378h, 4.15g (Miles 85). *Edge knock, otherwise extremely fine, rare.* £500-600

al-'Aziz, Dinars (2), al-Mahdiya 372h (Miles -), al-Mansuriya 377h (Miles -). Both fine, the second scarce. (2) £150-200



214 al-'Aziz, ¼-Dinar, al-Mahdiya 382h, 0.98g (Miles -; BMC -; Cairo -). Good very fine, very rare. £200-250



al-Zahir (411-427h), Dinar, Filistin 417h, 4.15g (Miles -; BMC -; Cairo -). Very fine and extremely rare, believed to be an unpublished date for this mint. £1,000-1,200



al-Zahir, Dinar, Misr 420h, 'adl in centre of obv and rev fields, 4.06g (Miles -). Very fine and rare. £350-400



al-Zahir, Dinar, al-Mansuriya 427h, 4.16g (Miles -). *Good very fine and scarce*. £250-300

al-Zahir, ¼-Dinar/Tari (3), Siqilliya 422h, 423h, 424h. *All very fine*. (3) £150-200



219 al-Mustansir (427-487h), Dinar, Sur 446h, 3.39g (Miles 296). *About very fine*. £200-250



al-Mustansir, Dinar, Trablus 441h, 3.89g (Miles -; BMC -; Cairo -). Obverse struck from a slightly rusty die, minor double-striking on reverse, otherwise about extremely fine, rare. £200-250



al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 436h, 3.99g (Miles 329). *Slightly clipped, very fine*. £120-150



al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 438h, 4.13g (Miles 331). *Very fine*. £120-150



al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 439h, 4.18g (Miles 332). *Extremely fine*. £200-250



al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 440h, 4.01g (Miles 333; BMC IV 141). *About extremely fine*. £140-160



al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 442h, 4.10g (Miles 338; BN 362). *Minor edge flaw, about extremely fine.* £120-140



al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 444h, 4.24g (Miles 342; BMC IV 148). Light traces of mounting on edge, good extremely fine. £160-180



al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 445h, 3.75g (Miles 344). *Irregularly clipped flan, but extremely fine.* £150-200



228 al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 448h, 4.27g (Miles 349; BN 368). *Extremely fine*. £160-180



229 al-Mustansir, Dinar, Misr 453h, 4.31g (Miles 356; BMC IV 162). *Extremely fine*. £140-160



al-Mustansir, Dinar, al-Mahdiya 454h, 3.88g (Miles -; BMC -; Cairo -). Very fine and extremely rare, believed to be an unpublished date for this mint. £1,000-1,200



al-Amir (495-524h), Dinar, al-Iskandariya 504h, 3.73g (Miles 410; BN 412). *Very slightly bent, extremely fine.* £200-250



al-Amir, Dinar, al-Iskandariya 511h, 4.34g (Miles 420; BMC IV 210). Struck from slightly rusty dies, otherwise extremely fine. £200-250



al-Amir, Dinar, Misr 502h, 4.25g (Miles 450; BN 420). Small edge bruise, minor double-striking in obverse legend, otherwise good extremely fine. £200-250



al-Amir, Dinar, Misr 512h, 4.34g (Miles 464; KLC 1244). *Minor scrape on edge, good extremely fine.* £200-250



al-Amir, Dinar, Misr 514h, 4.26g (Miles 466; BMC IV 213). Light traces of mounting on edge, good extremely fine. £200-250



al-Amir, Dinar, Misr 520h, 4.31g (Miles -; Cairo 2222). *Minor scrapes on obverse otherwise good very fine, the date rare*. £200-250



al-Amir, Dinar, al-Mu'izziya al-Qahira 518h, 4.15g (Miles 475). *Pierced and plugged, otherwise good very fine, rare.* £120-150



al-Amir, Dinar, al-Mu'izziya al-Qahira 519h, 4.34g (Miles 476; Cairo 2226). *Good extremely fine, very rare.* £1,000-1,200



239 Interregnum (524-526h), anonymous Dinar, al-Iskandariya 525h, in the name of Abu'l-Qasim al-Muntazar ('the expected'), 4.08g (Miles 481; BN 439). Very fine and extremely rare. £1,500-2,000



240 al-Hafiz (526-544h), Dinar, al-Iskandariya 539h, 3.88g (Miles 490). *Very fine, rare.* £250-300



- al-Zafir (544-549h), Dinar, al-Iskandariya, date off flan, 4.05g (A 738). Struck slightly off-centre, from rusty dies, otherwise good very fine, rare.
 - ex John J Slocum, Sotheby's 6-7 March 1997, lot 234
- al-Mu'izz, Dinar, al-Mansuriya 355h; al-'Aziz, Dinar, al-Mahdiya 370h. The first slightly clipped but very fine, the second about fine. (2) £120-150
- **al-'Aziz**, Dinar, al-Mansuriya 382h; **al-Mustansir**, Dinar, al-Mansuriya 43(6)h?. *Both very fine*. (2)
- **244 al-'Aziz**, ¼-Dinar, al-Mansuriya 380h; **al-Hakim (386-411h)**, ¼-Dinar, al-Mahdiya 393h; **al-Zahir**, ¼-Dinar/Tari (3), Siqilliya 412h, 422h, 427h. *All fine to very fine*. (5) £250-300

HAMDANID

Nasir al-dawla (330-356h), Dirham, Madinat al-Salam 331h; SAFFARID, Khalaf b. Ahmad, fractional Dinar, Sijistan 361h. *The first good fine, the second very fine.* (2) £150-200

AYYUBID

al-Nasir Salah al-din Yusuf (564-589h), Æ
Dirham, no mintname, 586h (Balog 182);
AYYUBID OF SYRIA, al-Zahir Ghazi (582-613h),
Fals (2), mintname (Halab) off flan, 598h (Balog 666 var), mintname (Halab) and date unclear (A 838); al-'Aziz Muhammad (613-634h), Fals (3), mintname (Halab) and date unclear (A 841), no mintname, undated (Balog 722);
AYYUBID OF AL-JAZIRA, al-Ashraf Musa, Æ
Dirhams (2), Mayafariqin 612h (Balog 852),
Sinjar 615h (Balog 853); SELJUQ OF RUM,
Sulayman II (592-600h), Fals (3), horseman type, with title al-Sultan (A 1205.2). Fine to very fine, the first scarce. (11)

AYYUBID OF AL-JAZIRA

al-Ashraf Musa (607-617h), Æ Dirhams (3): no mintname (2), 612h (Balog 849), Sinjar 617h (Balog 855). Fine to good fine, one sreatched on reverse. (3)

BAHRI MAMLUK



Baybars I (658-676h), Dinar, al-Iskandariya 667h, mintname in upper *obv* field, *rev* lion below central legend, 3.84g (Balog 31 var; BMC IV 474 var). An unusually light specimen; some double-striking otherwise extremely fine, rare.

BURJI MAMLUK





249 al-Nasir Faraj, 1st **reign (801-808h),** Dinar, al-Qahira 803h, 7.17g (Balog 615). Slight crease at one edge, otherwise extremely fine. £200-250





al-Nasir Faraj, 1st reign?, Dinar, al-Qahira, date off flan, 13.35g (A 977). Extremely fine. £200-250





251 al-Nasir Faraj, 2nd **reign (809-815h),** Dinar, al-Qahira 809h, 11.86g (Balog 621 var). *Extremely fine.* £250-300

RASSID - 2nd Period





al-Muntasir Da'ud (656-689h), Dirham, Zufar 670h, 1.69g (A 1086). Good very fine and extremely rare.





253 Hamud b. 'Ali, Dirham, Dhamar 731h, obverse: la ilah illah Allah / Muhammad rasul Allah / 'Ali wali Allah duriba / bi Dhamar sanat ahad wa / thalathin wa saba' mi'a, reverse: al-imam al-Na / sir li-din Allah / amir al-mu'minin Hamud / bin 'Ali bin Rasu / l Allah salla Allahu alayhi, 1.44g (A -). About extremely fine, extremely rare, this ruler previously unrecorded. £200-250

RASULID

- **al-Mansur 'Umar (626-647h),** Dirham, Zabid 646h; **al-Muzaffar Yusuf (647-694h),** Dirhams (2), Zabid 664h, 'Adan 661h. *The first extremely fine, the other two very fine.* (3) £80-100
- **al-Mujahid 'Ali (721-764h),** Dirhams (4), 'Adan 75xh, al-Mahjam 744h, 7x4h, mintname illegible, (7)72h. *Fine to very fine*. (4) £50-70

ARTUQID OF HISN KAYFA & AMID

Rukn al-din Mawdud (619-629h), Æ Dirham, Amid 162h (sic) (SS 19); ARTUQID OF MARDIN, Najm al-din Alpi (547-572h), Æ Dirham, no mintname, undated (SS 27); Husam al-din Yuluq Arslan (580-597h), Æ Dirham, no mintname, 589h (SS 35.1); Nasir al-din Artuq Arslan (597-637h), Æ Dirhams (6), no mintname, date unclear (SS 37), 611h, dates off flan (2) (SS 40[3]), 620h (SS 43), Mardin 633h (SS 47.2). The first good fine, rare, the others mostly fine, some scarce. (9)

ZENGID OF MOSUL

257 Saif al-din Ghazi II (565-576h), Æ Dirhams (2), no mintname, 572h (SS 60.8), al-Jazira 575h (SS 61.1); LU'LU'ID OF MOSUL, Badr al-din Lu'Lu' (631-657h), Æ Dirham, al-Mawsil 631h (SS 68); ZENGID OF SINJAR, 'Imad al-din Zengi II (566-594h), Æ Dirham, mintname and date off flan (SS 79), Qutb al-din Muhammad (594-616h), Æ Dirhams (4), Sinjar, dates unclear (3) (SS 81), 601h (SS 82.2), 606h (SS 83.1); ZENGID OF AL-JAZIRA, Mu'izz al-din Sanjar (576-605h), Æ Dirham, no mintname, 584h (SS 85.1); ARTUQID OF MARDIN, Husam al-din Yuluq Arslan, Æ Dirham, no mintname, date unclear (SS 35). Mostly fine, some scarce or rare. (11) £250-300

ZENGID OF AL-JAZIRA





- al-Mu'azzam Mahmud (605-648h), Æ Dirham, al-Jazira 639h, 9.05g (SS 89). About very fine, scarce. £40-60
- 259 al-Mu'azzam Mahmud, Æ Dirham, al-Jazira 639h, with the name of the heir al-Zahir (SS 89); ZENGID OF SYRIA, Nur al-din Mahmud (541-569h), Fals (2), mintname (Dimashq) off flan, 56xh, date off flan (SS 74); ZENGID OF MOSUL, Qutb al-din Mawdud (544-564h), Æ Dirham, no mintname, 556h (SS 59.2); 'Izz aldin Mas'ud I (576-589h), Æ Dirhams (2), al-Jazira 577h (SS 62), al-Mawsil, date unclear (SS 63); ZENGID OF SINJAR, 'Imad al-din **Zengi II**, Æ Dirhams (2), mintname (Nasibin) and date unclear (SS 78), mintname (Sinjar) off flan, 58xh (SS 79); BEGTEGINID, Muzaffar al-din Kokburi (563-630h), Æ Dirhams (2), mintname (Irbil) off flan, 590h, 597h (A 1888.3). The first very fine, the others mostly fine or better, some scarce. (10) £160-180

OTTOMAN





- **Suleyman I (926-974h),** Sultani, Qustantiniya 926h, rev legend reads sultan Suleyman shah bin sultan Selim shah, 3.51g (Pere -). Very fine, slightly crimped, a rare variety. £100-120
- **Suleyman I,** Sultani (2), Qustantiniya 926h, Siruz 926h (Pere 178, 189). *Very fine, the second rare.* (2) £160-180





Murad III (982-1003h), Dinar, Tilimsan 983h, 4.23g (Bates 4; BMC VIII 256). *Margins partly flat, otherwise good very fine, rare.* £200-250





Murad III, Dinar, no mintname (Tilimsan), 995h, 4.24g (Bates 6). Minor weakness in margins, otherwise good very fine, rare. £200-250





Mehmed III (1003-1012h), Dinar, no mintname (Tilimsan), 1003h, 4.23g (Bates 7). Flan crack, obverse double-struck, otherwise very fine, rare.



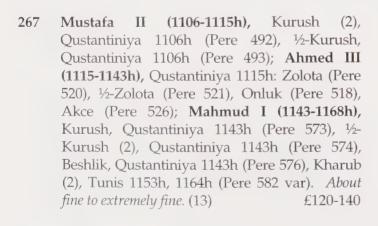


265 Murad IV (1032-1049h), Sultani, Misr 1032h, 3.44g (Pere 412). Wavy flan, some peripheral weakness, otherwise very fine. £50-70





266 Mehmed IV (1058-1099), Beshlik, Halab 1058h, 1.25g (Pere -). Obverse struck off-centre, otherwise very fine, very rare. £60-80







268 Abdul Hamid I (1187-1203h), Zeri Mahbub, Misr 1187h, 2.56g (KM 127). Slight flan split, very fine. £80-100

Selim III (1203-1222h), Riyal (2), Tunis 1206h, 1216h (KM 72.2); Abdul Mejid, with Muhammad Bey, 2-Kharub, Tunis 1274h (Pere 901), 13-Nasri (2), Tunis 1272h, 1274h (KM 115.1, 115.2), 6-Nasri, Tunis 1272h (KM 113.2); with Muhammad al-Sadiq Bey, 2-Kharub, Tunis 1276h (KM 137.1). Fine to good very fine, some scarce or rare, two countermarked. (7) £100-120





Mahmud II (1223-1255h), 2-Rumi Altin, Qustantiniya 1223h, year 9, 4.78g (Pere 756). *Extremely fine.* £200-250





Mahmud II, 2-Rumi Altin, Qustantiniya 1223h, year 10, 4.77g (Pere 756). *Creased, otherwise extremely fine.* £160-180





272 Mahmud II, 2-Rumi Altin, Qustantiniya 1223h, year 11, 4.79g (Pere 756). Slightly wavy flan, extremely fine. £200-250





Mahmud II, 2-Rumi Altin, Qustantiniya 1223h, year 12, 4.82g (Pere 756). Extremely fine. £200-250



Mahmud II, 2-Rumi Altin, Qustantiniya 1223h, year 12, 4.19g (Pere 756). *Pierced twice, otherwise very fine*. £50-70

275 Mahmud II, 2-Rumi Altin (2), Qustantiniya 1223h, years 9, 10 (Pere 756). Both pierced, otherwise extremely fine. (2) £200-250

276 Mahmud II, 2-Rumi Altin (2), Qustantiniya 1223h, years 9, 12 (Pere 756). Both pierced, otherwise extremely fine. (2) £200-250



277 Mahmud II, Cedid Rumi Altin, Qustantiniya 1223h, year 10, 2.42g (Pere 759). Slightly creased, extremely fine. £80-100



278 Mahmud II, Cedid Rumi Altin, Qustantiniya 1223h, year 11, 2.39g (Pere 759). Slightly creased, extremely fine. £80-100



279 Mahmud II, Cedid Rumi Altin, Qustantiniya 1223h, year 13, 2.42g (Pere 759). Slightly creased, extremely fine. £80-100 280 Mahmud II, Qustantiniya 1223h: 1/4-Zeri Mahbub, year 3 (Pere 752); 1st series, 10-Para, year 1 (Pere 805); 2nd series, Kurush, year 7 (Pere 804), 10-Para, year 3 (KM 559), Para, year 12 (Pere 807); 3rd series, 5-Kurush, year 5 (Pere 810); 4th series, 2-Kurush, year 14 (Pere 813); 5th series, 2-Kurush, year 15 (Pere 814), Kurush, year 16 (Pere 815), 10-Para (2), year 15 (Pere 816), Para, year 16 (KM 572); Abdul Aziz, Misr 1277h: 10-Qirsh, year 12 (KM 259), 5-Qirsh, year 11 (Pere 924), Qirsh, year 7 (Pere 939), ½-Qirsh, year 11 (Pere 940), 1/4-Qirsh, year 11 (Pere 941), 40-Para, year 10 (Pere 953), 20-Para (2), years 6, 9 (KM 244, 246), 10-Para, year 5 (KM 241), 4-Para, year 4 (KM 240). Fine to extremely fine, the first pierced, some scarce. (21)

Mahmud II, Qirsh, Misr 1223h, year 3 (KM 179.2); together with assorted other silver (5) and copper (4) coins. *The first very fine and scarce, the others fair to fine.* (10) £60-80



282 Mahmud II, Para, Trablus Gharb 1322h (sic), year 25, 3.59g (Pere -; KM 90.2). Very fine, scarce. £50-70



283 Abdul Mejid (1255-1277h), 50-Qirsh, Misr 1255h, year 5, 4.28g (KM 234.1). *About* extremely fine. £120-150



Abdul Mejid, 10-Qirsh, Misr 1255h, year 16, 13.55g (KM 231). Superficial cut, possibly an attempted cancellation, from the edge at 3 o'clock to the centre of the toughra on the obverse, small dig above regnal year on reverse, otherwise very fine, excessively rare. £1,200-1,500

285 Abdul Aziz (1277-1293h), Misr 1277h: 50-Qirsh, year 16 (KM 262), 25 Qirsh, year 13 (KM 261), 10-Qirsh, year 12 (KM 259). The first two very fine, the third extremely fine. (3) £200-250



Abdul Aziz, 40-Para, Misr 1277h, year 10, flower to right of toughra, 23.65g (KM 249). Surfaces lightly corroded, only about fine but very rare.



287 Abdul Aziz, 20-Para, Misr 1277h, year 7, 12.49g (KM 245). *Fine, rare.* £60-80



Murad V (1293h), 50-Qirsh, Misr 1293h, year 1, 4.26g (KM 271). Light surface abrasions, otherwise good very fine, rare. £600-800

- Abdul Hamid II (1293-1327h), Qustantiniya 1293h: 100-Kurush, year 6 (KM 725), 100-Kurush, year 33 (KM 730), 25-Kurush, year 33 (Pere 972). Good very fine to about extremely fine. (3)
- 290 Abdul Hamid II, Qustantiniya 1293h: 20-Kurush, year 2, 10-Kurush, year 3, 5-Kurush (3), years 12, 16, 31, 2-Kurush (4), years 11, 17, 19, 29, Kurush (7), years 9, 16, 19, 20, 27, 28, 30, 10-Para (2), years 25, 27; Misr 1293h: 20-Qirsh, year 29, 10-Qirsh (2), years 29, 33, 5-Qirsh (2), years 10, 33, 2-Qirsh (2), years 10, 11, Qirsh (3), years 3, 4, 17. Very fine to extremely fine. (28) £160-180
- **291 Abdul Hamid II**, Misr 1293h: 10-Qirsh (2), years 17, 34 (KM 282), 5-Qirsh, year 18 (KM 298). *All extremely fine*. (3) £150-200



292 Mehmed V (1327-1336h), mint visit coinage, 100-Kurush, Brusa 1327h, year 1 (Pere 1004). Lightly cleaned, otherwise good very fine, rare. £120-140

- Mehmed V, Qustantiniya 1327h: 100-Kurush, year 6, 25-Kurush, year 4, 20-Kurush (2), years 8, 9, 10-Kurush (2), year 7, 5-Kurush (5), years 1, 2, 7(2), 8, 2-Kurush (2), years 6, 7, Kurush (2), years 1, 3; Misr 1327h: 20-Qirsh, year 3, 10-Qirsh, year 6, 5-Qirsh, year 6, Qirsh (2), years 2, 3. Very fine to extremely fine. (20) £160-180
- Sultanis (9): Suleyman I, Misr, date off flan; Murad III, Misr 982h(2); Ahmed I (1012-1026h), Dimashq, date off flan; Murad IV, Misr, date off flan (5). Mainly fine to very fine. (9) £300-350
- 295 Miscellaneous gold coins (8), various types. *Fine to very fine.* (8) £150-200

TUNISIA

French Protectorate, Ahmad Pasha Bey (1348-296 1361h), 20- and 10-Centimes, 1361h/1942; Muhammad al-Amin Bey (1362-1376h), 100-, 50-, and 20-Francs, 1370h/1950, Essai 5-Francs, 1365h/1946, 5-Francs, 1373h/1954, 20- and 10-Centimes, 1364h/1945; Republic, Proof 5-Dinars, 1976, currency 5-Dinars, 1976, Dinar (2), 1970, 1976, ½-Dinar (2), 1968, 1976, 100-, 50-, 20-, and 10-Millim, 1380h/1960, 5-, 2-, and 1-Millim, 1960; LIBYA, Idris I (1951-1969), 100-, 50-, 20-, 10-, 5-, and 1-Millieme, 1965; Republic, 100-, 50-, 20-, 10-, 5-, and 1-Dirham, 1395h/1975; other minor coins (5); ALGERIA, Republic, 10-Dinars 1979, 5-Dinars (3), 1972 in silver and nickel, 1974, Dinar (3), 1964, 1972, nd(1983), 50-, 20-, 10-, 5-, 2-, and 1-Centime, 1964, 50-Centimes (3), 1971, nd(1975), 1980, 20-Centimes (2), 1972, 1975, 5-Centimes (2), 1970, 1974. Very fine to uncirculated, several scarce. (59) £200-250

EGYPT



297 Suez Canal, Brass 20-Centimes Token, 1865, issued by Borel Lavalley et Comp^{ie} (Lecompte 8). *Good very fine, scarce*. £120-140

298 Hussein Kamil (1333-1336h), 5-Piastres, 2-Piastres, and 2-Milliemes, 1916, 20-Piastres, 10-Piastres, 10-, 5-, 1-, and ½-Millieme, 1917; Fu'ad I, as Sultan, 10-, 5-, and 2-Piastres, 1338h/1920; Fu'ad I, as King (1341-1355h), 20-, 10-, and 5-Qirsh, 1341h/1923, 2-Qirsh, 1342h/1923, 10-, 5-, 2-, 1-, and ½-Millieme, 1342h/1924, 20-Qirsh, 5-Qirsh, 2-Qirsh, 10-, 2-, and ½-Millieme, 1348h/ 1929, 10-Qirsh and 21/2-Milliemes, 1352h/1933, 5-Milliemes and Millieme, 1354h/1935; Farouk (1355-1372h), 10-Qirsh and 2-Qirsh, 1356h/1937, 10-, 5-, 2-, 1-Millieme (2 - bronze and coppernickel), and ½-Millieme, 1357h/1938, 20-Qirsh and 5-Qirsh, 1358h/1939, 10- and 5-Milliemes, 1362h/1943, 2-Qirsh, 1363h/1944. Very fine or better, some scarce. (44) £250-300





Fu'ad I, as Sultan (1336-1341h), 10-Piastres, 1338h/1920, struck at the Heaton mint, Birmingham, 13.93g (KM 327). *Extremely fine, scarce.* £160-180

300 1st Republic (1953-1958), 50-Qirsh, 25-Qirsh (2), 20-Qirsh, 10-Qirsh, 5-Qirsh, 10-Milliemes (2), 5-Milliemes (2), Millieme (2); United Arab Republic (1958-1971), Pound (2), 50-Qirsh (2), 25-Qirsh (2), smaller denominations (38), no duplication; Arab Republic (1971-), 25-Qirsh, 1393h/1973 (KM 438), smaller denominations in base metals (32), no duplicates. The first about extremely fine, the others uncirculated. (90) £160-180

TURKEY

301 Republic, 25-Kurus (2), 1341h, 1928, 10-Kurus (2), 1341h, 1926, 5-Kurus (2), 1341h, 1926, 100-Para (2), 1341h, 1926; Decimal coinage, 100-Kurus, 1934, Lira (2), 1937, 1941, 50-Kurus, 1935, 25-Kurus, 1935, other minor coins (14); commemorative issues, Proof 5000-Lira, 1985, Proof 200-Lira, 1978, Proof 100-Lira, 1973, Proof 50-Lira (3), 1971, 1972, 1973, Proof 25-Lira, 1970; minor coins (43), 1959-1978, no duplication, and two brass telephone tokens. Mostly uncirculated, the first eight coins scarce thus. (79) £250-300

SYRIA

302 French Protectorate, 25-Piastres, 1936, 10-Piastres, 1929, 5-Piastres, 1926, 2½-Piastres, 1940, 2-Piastres, 1926, Piastre (2), 1935, 1940, ½-Piastre (2), 1921, 1936; World War II, emergency issues, 2½-Piastres and Piastre, undated; Syrian Arab Republic (1961-), 1-Pound (7), 50-Qirsh (4), 25-Qirsh (4), 10-Qirsh (4), 5-Qirsh (4), 2½-Qirsh (2). Very fine to uncirculated. (36)

JORDAN

303 Hussein b. Talal (1952-1999), commemorative issues, Proof 3-Dinars, 1397h/1977, Proof 2½-Dinars, 1397h/1977, ½-Dinar, 1400h/1980, ¼-Dinar (3), 1389h/1969, 1390h/1970, 1397h/1977; currency issues (14), 1949-1968. The first two mint state, in capsules, the others mostly uncirculated. (20)

YEMEN

al-Mutawakkil Yahya b. Muhammad (1322-1367h), Imadi Riyal (2), 1344h, ¼-Riyal (2), 1352h, 1364h, 1/10-Riyal, 1349h; al-Nasir Ahmad b. Yahya (1367-1382h), Ahmadi Riyal, 1375h, ½-Riyal, (13)75h, ¼-Riyal (2), (13)74h, (13)77h, 1/8-Riyal, 1370h; Arab Republic, Riyal, 1382h, 20-and 5-Buqsha, 1382h; TARIM, 12-Khumsi (2), 1315h, 6-Khumsi, 1315h; GHURFAH, Saleh 'Ubayd b. Abdat (1339-1358h), 30- and 15-Khumsi, 1344h. Fine to extremely fine. (18)

OMAN

Qabus b. Sa'id (1390h-), gold Rial and silver ½-Rial, 1994, commemorating the 250th anniversary of the al-Bu Sa'id dynasty (KM 95, 111). *Mint state, in case of issue; rare, only 500 of each denomination struck.* (2) £400-500

KUWAIT

306 Sabah b. Salim (1965-1977), Proof 2-Dinars, 1976 (KM 15a), 2-Dinars, 1976 (KM 15); Jabir b. Ahmad (1977-), Proof 5-Dinars, 1401h (KM 16), Proof 5-Dinars, 1981 (KM 18); minor denominations (12), no duplication. The first and third mint state, the others extremely fine or better. (16)

IRAQ

Faisal I (1921-1933), Riyal, 1932, 50-, 20-, and 307 4-Fils, 1931, 10-, 2-, and 1-Fil, 1933; Ghazi I (1933-1939), 10-Fils, 1937, 50- and 20-Fils, 1938, 10-Fils (3), 1938, 4-Fils (4), 1938; Faisal II (1939-1958), 10-Fils and 4-Fils, 1943; together with an Iranian 5-Rials engraved SOUVENIR OF BAGHDAD 1917-18 around view of mosque and palm trees; Republic, commemorative issues: Proof Dinar (2), Dinar (3), medallic Proof 500-Fils, 1379h/1959 (KM M1), 500-Fils (2), 250-Fils (5); currency issues: 500-Fils, 250-Fils, 100-Fils (2), 50-Fils (3), 25-Fils (3), 10-Fils (5), 5-Fils (5), Fil (1). The first fine, the others fine £250-300 to uncirculated. (54)

TAHIRID



Tahir b. al-Husayn (205-207h), Fals, Marw 207h, 2.20g (A 1392). Light corrosion, small flan crack, only fine but extremely rare. £200-250

SAFFARID

309 Ahmad b. Muhammad (311-352h), fractional Dinar, mintname and date unclear (A 1411); Khalaf b. Ahmad, 2nd reign (360-369h), fractional Dinar, mintname off flan, 36xh (A 1417). Good very fine, scarce. (2) £150-200

SAMANID



310 Isma'il b. Ahmad (279-295h), Dinar, Samarqand 292h, 4.17g (A 1442). Slightly bent, small edge knock, otherwise good very fine, rare. £200-250



311 Isma'il b. Ahmad, Dinar, al-Shash 291h, 4.43g (A 1442). Slightly bent, otherwise very fine, rare.



Nasr II b. Ahmad (301-333h), Dinar, Jurjan 331h, 4.35g (A 1449). *Very fine*. £350-400



313 Nuh b. Nasr (331-343h), Dinar, Nishapur 339h, die-engraver's signature in outer *obv* margin, 4.51g (BMC IX 356z). *Very fine*. £100-120



Mansur I b. Nuh (350-365h), Dinar, Bukhara 359h, with ruler's name on *obv* and governor's name on *rev*, 3.47g (A 1464). Weakly struck, very fine and rare. £140-160



Nuh b. Mansur (365-387h), multiple Dirham, Warwanliz? 369h, inner circle on *obv*, 6.48g (A 1469). Cracked across centre of coin, otherwise about very fine, very rare. £400-500

316 'Abd al-Malik b. Nuh (343-350h), Dirhams (6), Balkh 345h, 346h, 347h, 348h, 349h, 350h; Mansur I b. Nuh, Dirhams (3), Balkh 351h, 355h, 358h. Some weakness of strike, otherwise all extremely fine or nearly so. (9) £100-120

MUHTAJID



317 Nasr b. Ahmad (c.341-365h), Fals, Saghaniyan 357h, citing the Samanid overlord Mansur b. Nuh, 2.91g (SNAT XIVc 1203). *About very fine, rare.* £60-80

SU'LUKID





318 Ahmad b. 'Ali (c.304-311h), Dirham, al-Muhammadiya 311h, 3.36g (Miles Rayy 155b). Very fine and rare. £100-120

OARA-KHITAY



319 Sanjar Qadir Tafghaj Khan (c.566-573h), Æ Dirham, mintname (Balkh) and date unclear, 3.21g (SNAT XIVc 801 var). Margins flat, only fine but very rare. £100-120



Rukn al-din Khusraw (c.576h), Æ Dirham, Tirmidh (57)8h?, 3.90g (SNAT XIVc 1491-1492). Partly flat, only fine but very rare. £80-100

BUWAYHID





321 Mu'izz al-dawla (328-356h), Dinar, Madinat al-Salam 335h, citing 'Imad al-dawla, 3.83g (Treadwell Ms335G). Scratched on reverse, good very fine and rare. £600-800





322 Rukn al-dawla (335-366h), Dinar, al-Muhammadiya 346h, 3.75g (Treadwell Mu346G). Very fine. £150-200





323 'Adud al-dawla (338-372h), Dirham, Shiraz 346h, 4.13g (Treadwell Sh346). *Very fine.* £40-60





Fakhr al-dawla 'Ali, as governor of Hamadhan (c.359-373h), Dirham, Mah al-Kufa 364h, 3.94g (Treadwell Mk364). *Very fine, rare.* £100-120





325 Abu'l-Fawaris Shirdhil, as governor of Kirman (c.361-372h), Dirham, Bardasir 366h, 3.18g (Treadwell -). Very fine, rare. £80-100





al-Marzuban, as governor of Khuzistan (367-372h), Dinar, Suq al-Ahwaz 370h, 4.61g (Treadwell Su370G). *Good very fine*. £200-250





al-Rahim Abu Nasr (440-447h), Dinar, al-Ahwaz 445h, 4.11g (Treadwell Ah445G). Very fine and rare. £300-350

Dirhams (25), various mints. Mostly fine to very fine, two pierced, another plugged, some scarce. (25)

KAKWAYHID





329 Muhammad b. Dushmanzar (398-433h),
Dinar, Isbahan 432h, 4.02g (BMC IX 42aa).

*Very fine, rare. £200-250

GHAZNAVID





330 Ma'sud I (421-432h), Dinar, al-Rayy 424h, Ma'sud cited as Nasir din Allah Abu Sa'id, 2.81g (Miles Rayy -; Kazan 1130). Struck offcentre, otherwise good very fine, very rare. £300-350

GREAT SELJUQ





Tughril Beg (429-455h), Dinar, Lurdajan 449h?, 2.87g (A 1665). *Margins partly flat, otherwise very fine, very rare.* £500-600





Malikshah (465-485h), Dinar, Fars 485h, Firuzabad in obv field, 3.34g (A 1674). Clipped, fine to very fine and very rare. £500-600

Malikshah, Dinars (2), Nishapur 471h, 472h; GHAZNAVID, Mahmud, Dinar, Harat 405h. *All about very fine*. (3) £150-200





334 Muhammad b. Malikshah (492-511h), Dinar, Isfahan 510h, throne verse on rev, 3.87g (BN -). Flan crack, good fine, rare. £250-300





Mu'izz al-din Sanjar (511-552h), Dinar, Madinat al-Salam 526h, with the names of the Abbasid caliph al-Mustarshid and the caliphal heir al-Rashid, 2.13g (A 1686). Partly flat otherwise very fine, very rare. £120-150

SELJUQ OF IRAQ





336 Mahmud (511-525h), Dinar, Isfahan 517h, citing the Great Seljuq overlord Sanjar, 4.14g (A 1688). Slightly clipped, very fine. £200-250

SELJUQ OF KIRMAN





337 Turanshah b. Qara Arslan (477-490h), Dinar, Bardasir 481h, 3.49g (BMC IV 237). Very fine and very rare. £300-350

GHORID





338 Mu'izz al-din Muhammad b. Sam (567-602h), Dinar, posthumous issue, Ghazna 603h, small flan, 12.94g (BMC *Dehli 7*; A 1762). *Minor* weakness, otherwise extremely fine, rare. £400-500





Mu'izz al-din Muhammad b. Sam, Dinar, posthumous issue, Ghazna 604h, large flan, 20.91g (BMC Dehli 8; A 1762). Partly flat, slightly double-struck, otherwise good very fine, rare.

340 Mu'izz al-din Muhammad b. Sam, Dirham, (Ghazna) 598h; Taj al-din Yildiz (602-612h), Dirham, Ghazna 604h; GHAZNAVID, Mahmud, Dinar, Ghazna 415h. Very fine. (3) £100-120

SALGHURID





Abish bint Sa'd (663-684h), Dinar, Dar al-Mulk (Shiraz), date off flan, citing the Ilkhanid overlord Abaqa, 3.83g (A 1928). Struck off-centre otherwise good very fine, rare, an unusually light example. £100-120

- Abish bint Sa'd, Dinars (2), Shiraz, date off flan, citing the Ilkhanid overlord Abaqa (A 1928); together with miscellaneous Islamic silver coins (15), mostly Abbasid. The first two good very fine, the others varied state. (17)

 £150-200
- **Abish bint Sa'd,** Dirhams (3), different types (A 1929 var). *Fine to very fine, rare.* (3) £80-100
- **Abish bint Sa'd,** ½-Dirhams (2), Shiraz and mintname off flan (A 1929A). The first very fine, the second with edge chipped otherwise good fine, both very rare. (2)

 £80-100

QUTLUGHKHANID

Muzaffar al-din Shah (694-702h), Dirham, mintname off flan, undated, citing the Ilkhanid overlord Ghazan Mahmud, lion below obv legend (A 1940); ABBASID, al-Muqtadir, Dirham, Madinat al-Salam 315h; SAMANID, Nasr II b. Ahmad, Dirham, mintname and date unclear; TIMURID, Shahrukh (807-850h), silver Tanka, 5th coinage, Samarqand 830h (A 2405). The first partly flat otherwise very fine, rare, the others fine to very fine. (4)

GREAT MONGOLS

Anonymous, Dinar, no mintname or date (A A1967); SALGHURID, Abish bint Sa'd, Dinar, mintname (Shiraz) and date off flan. The first fine, rare, the second very fine. (2) £200-250





Anonymous, Fals, mintname (Kurzuwan) off flan, Jumada I 618h, *al-Malik* in centre of *rev*, struck during the siege of Kurzuwan by the Mongols, 3.04g (A 1971). *Some flatness otherwise very fine, scarce.* £50-70





Anonymous, Æ Dirham, Baldat Samarqand, date unclear, 6.08g (A B1979). Some light scrapes, good fine, rare. £60-80

Anonymous, Æ Dirham, Samarqand (A B1979); CHAGHATAYID, Kibak Khan (718-726h), silver ¹6-Dinar, Bukhara 722h (A 1989); Anonymous, Fals, Kashghar (A A2013); GOLDEN HORDE, Khizr Khan (760-762h), Pul, Gulistan 762h (A 2035); GIRAY KHANS, Mangli (871-920h), Akce, Qrim 920h (A 2070). Fine or better, some scarce or rare, the first with some surface deposit. (5) £80-100

CHAGHATAYID



Changshi (734-737h), silver ¹6-Dinar, Otrar 736h?, 1.26g (SNAT XVb 26-27). *Very fine,* scarce. £60-80

GIRAY KHANS



Mangli (871-920h), Akce, Kaffa 900h, 0.65g (Retowski 144). Very fine, scarce with clear mintname and date. £50-70

ILKHANID

Hulagu (654-663h), Dirhams (2), Baghdad (65)7h, 65xh; Abu Sa'id, Dinar, type G, Shahristan 731h. Fine to very fine, the latter two pierced. (3)



Abaqa (663-680h), Dinar, Baghdad 669h, 5.65g (A 2126.1). Some weakness otherwise nearly extremely fine, rare. £200-250



Abaqa, Dinar, Baghdad, date off flan, 3.87g (A 2126.1). Reverse struck off-centre, some weakness, otherwise very fine. £120-140





Abaqa, Dinar, mintname and date off flan, 7.31g (A 2126.1). Very fine, rare. £80-100





Abaqa, Dinar, mintname off flan, 676?h, 4.31g (A 2126.2). Partly weak, otherwise very fine. £80-100





Arghun (683-690h), Dinar, Baghdad 688h, 4.26g (A 2144). Edge ragged, otherwise good very fine, scarce. £200-250





358 Arghun, Dinar, type of Tabriz, Uighur script on rev, 4.44g (A 2144). Good very fine, slight weakness at edge. £140-160

359 Arghun, Dirhams (17), obv Uighur legends with Arghun in Arabic below, various mints (A 2146). Mostly good very fine. (17) £60-80

360 Arghun, Dirhams (5), Isfahan, Tabriz (2), Shiraz, and Qazvin, obv Uighur legends with bird below (A 2148). One damaged, otherwise very fine, scarce. (5) £80-100

Arghun, Dirhams (4), Tiflis, *rev* Christian legends (A 2151). *Very fine, scarce.* (4) £80-100

Gaykhatu (690-694h), Dirhams (9), ruler's name given as *Irenjin Turji*, three with lion below *obv* legend, various mints (A 2159.1). *Mostly good very fine*. (9) £60-80

Gaykhatu, Dirhams (2), Shiraz 690h, ruler's name given as *Gaykhatu*, bird below *obv* legend (A 2159.2). *Very fine and very rare*. (2) £100-120



Abu Sa'id (716-736h), Dinar, type G, Yazd 729h, 8.16g (A 2212). *Good very fine*. £240-280

JALAYRID



Jalal al-din Husayn (776-784h), silver Dinar, type TB, Ardabil 779h?, 1.56g (A 2308.2). *Very fine, the mint rare.* £60-80

MEHRABANID





1367 'Izz al-din Karman (753-784h), gold Tanka, mintname (Nimruz) off flan, 76xh, 11.05g (A 2358). Struck slightly off-centre, very fine and very rare. £250-300

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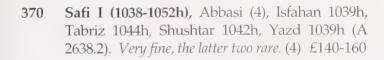




Isma'il I (907-930h), 6-Shahi, Dar al-Sultanat Qazvin? 913h, 56.32g (SICA -; Rabino -; BMC -; cf Spink-Taisei Zurich Auction 34, lot 391 – same *rev* die but different *obv* design). *Partly flat, some tooling in fields, other minor scrapes, otherwise good very fine, excessively rare.* £2,000-£2,500



Tahmasp I (930-984h), ½-Mithqal, Herat, undated, 2.31g (A 2591). *Traces of mounting, otherwise very fine, scarce.* £80-100







Safi I, Abbasi, Baghdad, date off flan, 7.71g (A 2638.2). *Good fine, rare.* £80-100

Safi I, Abbasi (3), with circle around mintname, Isfahan 1051h, Iravan 1051h, Tabriz 1050h (A 2638.3). *Very fine, all rare.* (3) £120-140

'Abbas II (1052-1077h), Abbasi (4), 1st standard, Ardabil 1053h, Isfahan 1053h, Iravan 1053h, Ganja 1052h (A 2642). *Very fine, all scarce or rare.* (4) £160-180





'Abbas II, Abbasi, 2nd standard, Qandahar 1059h, 7.25g (SICA -; Rabino -). *Minor peripheral weakness, very fine and very rare.* £150-200

'Abbas II, Abbasi (5), 2nd standard, Ardabil 1055h, Isfahan 1055h (date retrograde), Shimakhi 1054h, Shushtar 1056h, Ganja 1055h (A 2646). *Very fine, all scarce*. (5) £160-180





376 Sulayman I (1079-1105h), 20-Shahi, Isfahan (10)96h, 36.88g (SICA 176B var; Rabino 13 var; BMC 57 var).

Minor peripheral weakness, very fine and very rare.

£800-1,000





Sulayman I, 20-Shahi, Isfahan 1099h, 33.93g (SICA 182 var; Rabino 18 var; BMC 68). *Remains of mount on edge, otherwise very fine, very rare.* £300-400

AFSHARID





378 Sultan Husayn (1105-1135h), 2nd standard, rectangular 5-Shahi, Tabriz 1129h, 8.61g (Rabino 254; SICA 558 var). *Good very fine*. £40-60

379 Sultan Husayn, Abbasi (5), 3rd standard, Isfahan 1132h, Tabriz 1130h, Tiflis 1131h, Rasht 1131h, Nakhjavan 1130h (A 2683). Very fine or better. (5) £80-100





Nadir Shah (1148-1160h), Rupee, Dar al-Aman Multan 1152h, 11.50g (SICA 1472). About extremely fine, a few test marks, very rare. £200-250

Nadir Shah, Rupee, Peshawar 1160h (A 2744.2), 6-Shahi, Qandahar 1150h (A 2747); HOTAKI AFGHAN, Ashraf (1137-1142h), Abbasi, Qazvin, date off flan (A 2720). The first good fine with testmarks on both sides, the others very fine, the first and last scarce. (3)





Nasir al-din Shah (1264-1313h), Toman, Tehran 1277h, plain margins, 3.38g (KM -). *Edge shaved, otherwise good very fine, scarce.* £150-180





Nasir al-din Shah, Qiran, Tehran 1310h, obv legend with sahibqiran, crown above, 4.81g (KM 901). About very fine, rare. £60-80

Nasir al-din Shah, Qirans (2), Dar al-Nusrat Herat 1275h: 1st standard, 5.25g (A 2927), 2nd standard, 5.03g (A 2930). Very fine and good very fine, both rare. (2) £120-140





Nasir al-din Shah, Qiran, Dar al-Nusrat Herat 1278h, 4.96g (KM 824). Very fine, rare. £60-80

Nasir al-din Shah, Qirans (36): Astarabad (2), Hamadan (3), Isfahan (2), Shiraz (2), Tabaristan, Tabriz (8), Tehran (4), Kirmanshahan (3), Kirman (3), Mashhad (7), and one other; ½-Qirans (17): Astarabad, Kirman, Qazvin (4), Tabaristan, Tabriz, Tehran (7), Yazd (2). Fine to extremely fine. (53)

387 Nasir al-din Shah, Qiran (4), Ard Aqdas (Mashhad) 1282h, Rasht 1289h?, Kashan, date off flan, Mashhad 1279h, 1/2-Qiran (2), portrait type, Tehran 1272h, 1273h, 2000-Dinar (2), Tehran 1297h, blundered date, 1000-Dinar, Tehran 1297h, 500-Dinar, Tehran, undated, Shahi Sefid (2), Tehran 1307h, 13(13)h; Muzaffar al-din Shah, 5000-Dinar, 1320h, 2-Qiran, Tehran 1322h, 2000-Dinar, 1323h, 500-Dinar, 1223h (error), 50-Dinar, 1321h; Ahmad Shah, 5000-Dinar, 2-Qiran (2), 2000-Dinar (5), 1000-Dinar (4), 500-Dinar (2), Rob'i (2), Shahi Sefid (3), 100-Dinar, 50-Dinar. Fine to £160-180 uncirculated. (38)

Nasir al-din Shah, Qiran, 2nd standard, Astarabad 1282h (A 2930); Muzaffar al-din Shah, 5000-Dinars, 1320h (KM 976); Ahmad Shah, 5000-Dinars, 1342h (KM 1058); Reza Shah, as prime minister (1302-1304sh), 5000-Dinars, 1304sh (KM 1097); Anonymous, Qandahar, Æ, obv bull to left. Very fine to extremely fine. (4)

389 Muzaffar al-din Shah (1313-1324h), Toman, 1316h (KM Y36), ½-Toman, 1323h (KM Y35), ¹5-Toman, undated (KM 993). *Good very fine to extremely fine.* (3) £250-300





390 Muzaffar al-din Shah, 5-Qiran, 1322h, birthday commemorative, 23.33g (KM YA40). *Very fine and rare.* £250-300





Muzaffar al-din Shah, Piedfort 2000-Dinars, 1316h (cf KM 974). *Obverse weakly struck, good very fine, very rare.* £250-300

392 Muzaffar al-din Shah, 5-Qiran, 1320h, 2-Qiran, 1323h; Nasir al-din Shah, Qiran, 1296h; Muhammad 'Ali Shah (1324-1327h), 2-Qiran, 1326h, Shahi Sefid (2), 1327h. Mostly extremely fine. (6)

393 Ahmad Shah (1327-1344h), Tomans (2), 1333h, 1334h, 5-Qiran (2), 1337h, 1343h, 2-Qiran (3), 1343h(2), one with date worn or effaced, Qiran, 1330h; together with assorted Pahlavi silver coins (11). Very fine to extremely fine. (19)

PAHLAVI

394 Reza Shah (1304-1320sh), 5000-Dinars (5), 1304sh, 1305sh, 1306sh(2), 1308sh, 5-Rials, 1311sh; Muhammad Reza Shah, Pahlavi, 1358sh, ¼-Pahlavi, 2536ms. The first six mostly extremely fine, the last two uncirculated. (8)



Muhammad Reza Shah (1320-1358sh), Pahlavi, 1321sh, 8.14g (KM 1148). About extremely fine, extremely rare. £700-900



Muhammad Reza Shah, ½-Pahlavi, 1329sh, 4.07g (KM 1149). Uncirculated and rare, only 75 pieces struck. £200-250



Muhammad Reza Shah, ½-Pahlavi, 1329sh, 4.05g (KM 1149). Good very fine and very rare, only 75 pieces struck. £160-180

DURRANI



Shah Zaman (1207-1216h), Shahi (16-Rupee), Mashhad, no date visible, 1.12g (A A3111). Edge damage, possibly due to mounting, otherwise very fine, extremely rare. £160-180

BARAKZAI



400 'Abd al-Rahman (1297-1319h), Proof Rupee, Dar al-Sultanat Kabul 1304h/1303h, struck at the Heaton mint, Birmingham, 9.29g (SICA 1197). Extremely fine with some toning, rare. £100-120



401 'Abd al-Rahman, 5-Rupees, Kabul 1316h, 45.95g (KM 826). *Very fine, scarce.* £60-80

'Abd al-Rahman, Rupees (2), 1313h, 1315h, ½-Rupee, 13xxh, Abbasi, 1314h, Sanar, undated, Paisa (2), 1309h, 1317h; Habibullah (1319-1337h), 5-Rupees, 1324h, Rupees (5), 1319h, 1320h, 1391h error, 1322h, 1333h, ½-Rupees (2), 1324h, 1329h, Abbasi, 1333h, Sanar (2), 1329h, 1337h; Amanullah (1337h, 1298-1307sh), 2½-Rupees, 1302sh, Abbasi, 1302sh, 3-Shahi (3), 1337h, 1300sh (2), Shahi, 1337h, on thin brass flan, Paisa; decimal coinage: 2½-Afghani 1306sh, Afghani, 1306sh, ½-Afghani, 1307sh, 20-Pul, 1304sh. Fine to extremely fine. (29) £250-300

403 Rupees, ½-Rupees, and Qirans, of Kabul, Qandahar, and Herat, together with a copper coin, Balkh 1295h. *Fine to extremely fine.* (50) £160-180

404 Milled coinage, Rupees (11), minor denominations (22), assorted dates and types.

Mostly very fine to extremely fine. (33) £160-180

SHAYBANID





Kuchkunji (916-937h), silver Tanka, Hisar, undated, 4.72g (A 2981.2). *Test-mark on obverse, some weakness, otherwise very fine, the mint very rare.* £250-300

'Abd Allah II (991-1006h), ¼-Mithqal, mintname off flan, 1000h? (A 2994); BUKHARA, Muzaffar al-din (1277-1303h), Tenga (2), Bukhara 1284h, 1298h (A 3039); 'Abd al-Ahad (1303-1329h), Tenga, Bukhara 1319h (A 3042); 'Alim Khan (1329-1339h), 2-Pul, Bukhara 1334h (A B3044). The first good very fine, scarce, the others fine to very fine. (5)

KHOQAND





407 Muhammad Malla Khan, 2nd reign (1289h), Tenga, Khoqand 1289h, 3.05g (A B3077). Good very fine and toned, very rare. £100-120

INDIA

For some 650 years Islamic or Islamic-style coinage was struck in what is now India, Pakistan and Bangladesh. From the Muslim conquest of northern India at the beginning of the 13th century AD right up to the 19th century (and in some cases even later), the Muslim rulers of India struck a huge variety of coins in gold, silver, billon and copper. The coins of the sultanates, the Mughals, and the successor and princely states were struck in a great variety of styles at a large number of mints. Such was the popularity of this coinage that it was imitated by non-Muslim rulers as well. No general collection of Islamic coins, be it private or institutional, can be considered complete unless it includes at least a representative selection of those coins struck in India.

SULTANATES

From the beginning of the Muslim conquest of northern and eastern India in the 13th century AD, the victorious leaders began to mint coins in their own name and in that of the contemporary caliphs. The powerful sultanate of Dehli initially imitated the local types of gold and billon coinage, but soon they and the sultans of Bengal initiated their own coinage of handsome silver tankas, in due course augmented by gold issues as well. Most of these coins are purely inscriptional but, from Bengal, there are also examples featuring a mounted horseman, and others featuring a lion. The Bengal sultanate lasted until its conquest by the Mughals in the late 16th century AD, but the Dehli sultanate in due course fragmented, giving rise to independent kingdoms (some shortlived) in Madura, the Deccan, Malwa, and Gujarat. All these sultanates issued their own coinage, often in very distinctive styles. The standard reference work on this series is *The Coins of the Indian Sultanates* by Stan Goron and JP Goenka.

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SULTANS OF DEHLI

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Nasir al-din Mahmud (644-664h), gold Tanka, Dehli 654h, 10.96g (G&G D135). *Good very fine,* scarce with clear date. £150-200





Nasir al-din Mahmud, gold Tanka, Dehli (65)5h, 10.96g (G&G D135). Very fine and scarce.





Ghiyath al-din Balban (664-686h), gold Tanka, Hadrat Dehli 678h, 10.97g (G&G D155). *Good extremely fine.* £150-200





411 Ghiyath al-din Balban, gold Tanka, Dehli 67xh, 10.98g (G&G D155). *Extremely fine.* £150-200





'Ala' al-din Muhammad (695-715h), gold Tanka, Hadrat Dehli, date off flan, 10.75g (G&G D221). Very fine. £120-140





Qutb al-din Mubarak (716-720h), square silver Tanka, Hadrat Dar al-Khilafa 718h, 10.85g (G&G D261). *Very fine*. £80-100





Muhammad b. Tughluq (725-752h), gold Tanka, Dehli 726h, 11.05g (G&G D347). *Extremely fine.* £200-250





Muhammad b. Tughluq, gold Tanka, in the name of the caliph al-Hakim II, undated, 11.06g (G&G D442). Good very fine. £150-200





416 Firuz Shah Zafar (791h), gold Tanka, Dehli 791h, 11.01g (G&G D545). *Test-mark on obverse, very fine and very rare.* £200-250





- Muhammad b. Firuz (792-795h), posthumous silver Tanka, probably struck during the reign of Mubarak Shah (824-837h), date only partly visible, 11.20g (G&G D654). Very fine, couple of shroff-marks, very rare.
- 418 Sher Shah Suri (945-952h), Rupees (2), Kalpi 949h, Ranthambhor 949h (G&G D785, D793); Islam Shah Suri (952-960h), Jahanpanah Rupee, no mintname, 95xh (G&G D979). Good fine to very fine, all rare or very rare. (3) £150-200





- 419 Sikandar Shah Suri (c.961-962h), Rupee, Lahore 962h, 11.43g (G&G D1150). Slightly toned, good very fine and rare, a fine example of this historically important issue. £350-400
- 420 Group of mainly billon coins (28); GHORID, Jitals (3). *Mostly very fine or better*. (31) £60-80

SULTANS OF BENGAL





Rukn al-din 'Ali Mardan (c.606-610h), silver Horseman Tanka, no mintname, 606h, 10.47g (G&G B8). Some surface markings, good fine and very rare.

Rukn al-din Kaikaus (689-700h): silver fractional Tankas (3) (G&G B90); BAHMANIS, Muhammad I (760-777h), ½2-Tanka (G&G BH36); SULTANS OF DEHLI, Rukn al-din Ibrahim (695h), Jital (G&G D212); SULTANS OF MALWA, Ghiyath Shah (873-906h), square Double-Falus, 887h (G&G M86). Mostly very fine, scarce to very rare. (6) £70-90





1423 Ikhtiyar al-din Ghazi, ruler in East Bengal (750-753h), silver Tanka, Hadrat Jalal Sunargaon, 752h, 10.85g (G&G B138). *A few small test-marks, light scrapes on reverse, very fine and very rare.* £300-400





Jalal al-din Muhammad, 2nd reign (c.821-837h), silver Tanka, broad flan, 'Arsah Chatgaon, date not clear, 10.40g (G&G B347). *Very fine, some shroff marks, somewhat dished but scarce.* £80-100





Nasir al-din Mahmud (837-864h), silver Lion Tanka, uncertain mint, 849h, obv lion to right, 10.41g (G&G B480). Crude very fine, some discolouration and shroff marks, rare. £180-220





426 Nasir al-din Nusrat (925-938h), gold Tanka, 'Arsah 929h, 10.56g (G&G B790). Very fine and very rare. £400-500

427 Ghiyath al-din Mahmud (939-954h), silver Tanka, 'Badr Shahi' type, Sayyidabad 912h (fictitious date) (G&G B913); Da'ud Shah Kararani (980-984h), Rupee, Patna 981h (G&G B980). Good very fine and scarce. (2) £80-100

SULTANS OF GUJARAT





Mahmud III (944-961h), heavy gold Tanka, 954h, 11.96g (G&G G412). *Extremely fine and rare.* £300-350

SULTANS OF KASHMIR





429 Silver Sasnu in the name of Akbar, Kashmir, rev dated 959h (using old die), 6.08g (G&G K150).

About very fine, one test mark, rare. £40-60

NIZAM SHAHS OF AHMADNAGAR





430BurhanII(1000-1003h),goldPagoda,Burhanabad,3.39g(G&GN10).Aboutextremely fine, scarce.£120-150

'ADIL SHAHS OF BIJAPUR





431 Muhammad 'Adil Shah (1037-1068h), gold Pagoda, with couplet, 3.38g (G&G BJ20). Extremely fine and clearly struck, rare in such good condition. £250-300

MUGHAL

The defeat of the last sultan of Dehli by Babur at the battle of Panipat in 1526 AD resulted in the start of Mughal rule in India. The initial Mughal silver coinage maintained the form of the central Asian shahrukhis but after the short-lived but important Suri interlude, which saw the introduction of the rupee and the heavy copper paisa or dam, Mughal coinage, particularly from the reign of Akbar, comprised the familiar rupee, augmented by the gold mohur and, initially, a copious copper coinage. The coins of Akbar, Jahangir and Shah Jahan are often very decorative and attractive, and much sought after by collectors of Indian coins. Issues of later rulers tend to be more uniform in style but were struck at a large number of mints, the number of which continues to grow as new ones are identified or discovered. There are various ways of collecting Mughal coins: one can collect the coins of a single ruler; or of a single mint; or by type for each ruler and mint; and the specialist can also collect by type, mint and date. Most Mughal coins bear two dates: the hijra date and the regnal year of the ruler, which makes collecting by date even more of a challenge as the two usually overlap. There is no overall corpus of Mughal coins but there are various museum catalogues and the listings in KM are quite extensive.





Akbar (963-1014h), Mohur, Dehli 983h, 10.88g (KM 108). *Very fine and rare.* £300-350





Jahangir (1014-1037h), Rupee, zodiac type, Taurus, Ahmadabad 1027h, year 13, 11.25g (KM 150.5). Very fine and scarce. £300-350





Jahangir, Rupee, zodiac type, Gemini, Agra 1029h, struck from Mohur dies, 11.32g (KM 150.6). *Very fine, trace of mount or test scrape on edge, very rare.* £1,000-1,200

Jahangir with Nur Jahan, Rupees (10), Patna, year 22 (1037h) (KM 168.5). *Fine to very fine.* (10) £200-250





Shah Jahan (1037-1068h), Mohur, square area type, Daulatabad 1049h, year 12, 10.91g (KM 260.21). Extremely fine and scarce. £300-350





Aurangzeb (1068-1118h), Mohur, Aurangabad 1077h, year 10, 10.99g (KM 315.10). *Extremely fine.* £150-200





Aurangzeb, Mohur, Aurangabad 1082h, year 15, 10.98g (KM 315.10). Extremely fine, slightly bent. £150-200





439 Aurangzeb, Mohur, Ahsanabad 1115h, year 47, 10.94g (KM 315.3). About extremely fine, scarce. £150-200





Aurangzeb, Mohur, Surat 1080h, 11.05g (KM 315.45). Brilliant extremely fine, an exceptional specimen. £200-250





441 Aurangzeb, Rupee, Torgal '1110'h, year 50, 11.50g (KM 300.88). *Brilliant extremely fine with almost full mintname.* £60-80





Aurangzeb, Rupee, uncertain mint, 1073h, year 5, 11.24g. *Very fine and very rare, previously unpublished.* £150-200

This type bears a word to the right of Jalus on the reverse that has been read as a possible mint-name 'Sham'. The present coin has both part of the hijra date and the regnal year.









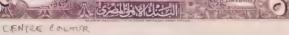






















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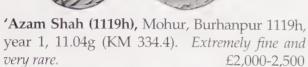














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Shah 'Alam I (1119-1124h), Mohur, Itawa, year 3, 10.94g (KM 354.1). *Extremely fine*. £150-200





445 Shah 'Alam I, Mohur, Khujista Bunyad 1119h, year 2, 10.94g (KM 356.7). *Extremely fine.* £150-200





Jahandar Shah (1124h), Mohur, Dar al-Khilafat Shahjahanabad 1124h, year 1, 10.92g (KM 363.21 var). Good very fine, test-mark on edge, scarce. £150-200





447 Farrukhsiyar (1124-1131h), Mohur, Mustaqir al-Khilafat Akbarabad 1131h, year 7, 10.77g (KM 390.4). *Good very fine, broad flan.* £150-200





448 Farrukhsiyar, Mohur, Dar al-Khilafat Shahjahanabad, year 3, 10.90g (KM 390.30). *Good very fine.* £150-200

Shah Jahan II (1131h), Rupees (3), Gwalior 1131h, year 1 (KM 415.9). *Very fine to good very fine, cleaned, scarce.* (3) £120-140





450 Muhammad Shah (1131-1161h), Mohur, Itawa 1146h, year 16, 10.86g (KM 438.10). About extremely fine and scarce, especially with both dates clear.





Muhammad Shah, Mohur, Dar al-Khilafat Shahjahanabad 113xh, year 8, 10.88g (KM 439.4). Extremely fine. £120-140





Muhammad Shah, Rupee, Zain al-Bilad 113xh, year 5, 11.61g (KM 436.63). *Extremely fine, rare.* £100-120

Zain al-Bilad (Beauty of Cities) was an epithet used for Ahmadabad for some three years during the early part of the reign of Muhammad Shah.





453 Ahmad Shah Bahadur (1161-1167h), Mohur, Dar al-Khilafat Shahjahanabad 1161h, year 1, 10.88g (KM 449.12). Good very fine. £140-160





Shah Jahan III (1173-1174h), Mohur, Surat 117xh, year 1, 11.10g (KM -). *Slightly crimped, about extremely fine with ruler's name clear, scarce thus.* £200-250

SUCCESSOR STATES

The eventual weakening of the Mughal empire in India led to the growth of successor states and competitors. From a relatively early stage the Marathas in western India were frequently in conflict with the Mughals while during the course of the 18th century AD the realms and influence of the Mughals diminished greatly as regional and local power was exercised by the Marathas, the Afghan Rohillas, the Jats, the Sikhs and various other princes and chieftains, not to mention the various East India Companies. All of these entities struck coins in the style of the Mughals, in Persian script, and usually cited the name of the Mughal emperor on those coins. This applied even to many states whose rulers were not Muslim. The coins of this series feature a multitude of different mintmarks. They can be collected by type, by state, but in some cases it is better to collect by date too as certain mints changed hands frequently. There is no corpus of state and 'pseudo-Mughal' coinage; there are individual works on the coinage of Mysore, the Sikhs, the Sindhias of Gwalior, the Holkars of Indore, and the Marathas. The listings in KM are useful but need revision in various areas.

INDEPENDENT KINGDOMS

Mysore





Tipu Sultan (1782-1799 AD), Rupee, Patan 1216am, year 6, 11.32g (KM 126). *Extremely fine and attractive.* £40-60





458 Rupee, in the name of Shah 'Alam II, 'Alinagar 1198h, year 26, 11.17g (KM -). Good very fine, some deposit but with almost full mintname, very rare thus.

Rohilkhand





Rupee, in the name of Shah 'Alam II, Sambhal 1188h, year 15, 10.91g. Very fine and extremely rare, an unpublished mint for the Rohillas. £200-250

Sambhal lies some 23 miles south-west of Muradabad on the road to 'Aligarh. It was the capital of a sarkar under Akbar. Copper coins are known from the reigns of Sher Shah and Islam Shah Suri, and Akbar.



Alwar

Rupees (20), in the name of Muhammad Akbar II, years 11, 19, 20, 24, 27 (KM 20). *Good very fine to extremely fine.* (20) £120-150

Hyderabad





Gold Pagoda, in the name of Muhammad Shah, Imtiyazgarh, 3.31g (KM 439C.1). *Very fine and scarce.* £50-70





Gold Pagoda, in the name of Ahmad Shah Bahadur, Imtiyazgarh, 3.37g (KM 449B).

About extremely fine, very scarce. £80-100



457



Rupee, in the name of Shah 'Alam II, 'Alinagar 1189h, year 18, 11.14g (KM -). Cleaned otherwise good very fine, a very rare mint. £120-150





Rupee, in the name of Shah 'Alam II, Firuznagar, 11.21g (KM -). Good very fine and rare.

Rupees (10), in the name of Shah 'Alam II, Nagor (4), Jodhpur (4), Mertha (2); Rupees (4), in the name of Muhammad Akbar II, Dar al-Mansur Jodhpur. Mostly good very fine to extremely fine. (14) £120-150

Although the coins in the name of Muhammad Akbar II bear the mintname Dar al-Mansur Jodhpur, they are very crudely engraved and may in fact have been struck at Mertha.

Jind





Ranbir Singh (1943-?vs; 1887-? AD), machine-struck Nazarana Rupee, 1993vs (1937 AD), 11.64g (KM M1). Good very fine, some surface marks, scarce. £100-120

Jodhpur





Mohur, in the names of George V and Umaid Singh, 10.94g (KM 129). Extremely fine. £250-300





Mohur, in the names of George V and Umaid Singh, 10.98g (KM 129). Extremely fine. £150-200





Mohur, in the names of George VI and Umaid Singh, 1997vs, 11.01g (KM 150). Extremely fine. £150-200





Mohur, in the names of George VI and Umaid Singh, 2001vs, 11.03g (KM -). Good very fine and rare. £180-220

MISCELLANEOUS





469 Gold Muslim Token, *obv* somewhat crudely engraved Shahada and four Rashidun, *rev* mosque, 11.16g (M 445 var). *Good very fine and rare.* £400-500

470 Assorted copper coins (12): Arab-Byzantine (4), Umayyad (3), others (5). Mostly fine or slightly better, some scarce. (12) £120-140

471 Assorted copper Fulus (53), mostly Umayyad and Abbasid. *Mostly fine.* (53) £150-200

472 Assorted silver coins (54), the majority 4th-period Abbasid Dirhams, also including some Yemeni issues. *Mostly fine to very fine*. (54) £100-120

473 Miscellaneous silver (32) and copper (3) coins. Mostly fine to very fine, a few pierced. (35) £80-100

474 Miscellaneous silver (1) and copper (41) coins. *Mostly fine.* (42) £80-100

475 Assorted silver (12) and copper (9) coins. Varied state. (21) £80-100

OTTOMAN



Mehmed II (848-849h, 855-886h), uniface cast Æ Medal, c.1480, by Gentile Bellini, MAGNI SVLTANI MOHAMETI. II. IMPERATORIS, crescent stop, bust of Mehmed left wearing turban and gown, 92mm (Hill Corpus 432; Kress 144; Armand I:78 and III:18a; Middeldorf 55). An 18th-century cast, or perhaps earlier; cast on a thin flan with a slightly incuse 'shadowed' image on reverse, very fine with a rich brown patina. £500-700

In 1479 Gentile Bellini (c.1429–1507 AD), was sent by the Republic of Venice to paint his famous (and much reproduced) portrait of Mehmed II, from which this medal derives. This medal has the more usual reading, MAGNI SVLTANI; however, the vine-leaf at the start of the legend has been replaced with a crescent, and the numeral II has been added after Mehmed's name. A similar medal (the V & A specimen), the reverse of which shows the three crowns of Constantinople, Iconium and Trebizond, was most recently published by Susan Spinale in 'Re-assessing the so-called 'Tricaudet Medal' of Mehmed II', *The Medal*, Spring 2003, pp 3-22, fig 3. A 19^{th} -century electrotype copy of this medal is being offered in Auction 37, lot 1891.

Morocco



Ferdinand de Joinville, Æ Medal, 1844, by F Borrel, commemorating the French bombardment of Tangier and Mogador, bust of right, rev legend in ten lines, 26mm. About extremely fine. £60-80



Maréchal Louis Hubert Gonzalve Lyautey (1854-1937), Pacification of Morocco, Æ Medal, 1925, by H Dropsy, uniformed bust right, rev Lyautey meets 'Abd al-Karim and other leaders, 68mm. Extremely fine.

A career soldier, Lyautey served in Algeria, Tonkin and Madagascar; he was appointed Résident Général in Morocco in 1926.

ALGERIA



al-Amir 'Abd al-Qadir (1807-1883), Battle of D'Jemma Ghazouat, Æ Medal (1846), by A C Jouvenal, bust left, rev legend in eighteen lines, 57mm (BDM III 90). Extremely fine, rare. £200-250



al-Amir 'Abd al-Qadir, Battle of D'Jemma Ghazouat, Æ Medal (1846), by A C Jouvenal, bust left, rev legend in eighteen lines, 57mm (BDM III 90). Very fine, rare. £140-160



André Lebon, Financier, President of the Council for the Administration of Financial Credit to Algeria and Tunisia, Æ Medal, 1928, by V P Bautel, on his receiving the Legion d'Honneur, bust three-quarters right, *rev* a semi-veiled lady at a well, 63mm. *Good very fine*. £50-60



Monseigneur Augustin Fernand Leyland, Cardinal Archbishop of Algiers and Julio-Césarée, 1917-1950, Æ Medal, 1950, by R B Baron, bust right, wearing habit and cap, rev three churches and cardinal's arms, 59mm. Extremely fine.

EGYPT



Muhammad Sa'id, viceroy (1270-1280h), Æ Medal, 1271h (1855), commemorating the construction of the fortress of Qala'at Sa'idiya at the mouth of the Nile, Arabic inscription in seven lines, rev aerial plan of the fortress, 63mm (Cairo 6219; Fonrobert 5295). About extremely fine with traces of original colour, rare.



Isma'il Pasha, and Ferdinand de Lesseps 'Promoteur', Opening of the Suez Canal, white metal Medal, 1869, by Trotin and Massonnet, aerial panorama of the canal, shields of nations around, rev legend within lotus wreath, 50mm. Choice extremely fine, rare.



(illustration reduced)

Arab Republic, Order of Merit, First Class, Breast Star, ten-pointed star of alternating gold and silver points, a superimposed gold five-pointed star enamelled in blue and white, at top the Eagle of Saladin with national arms on its breast, pin on *rev*, 82 x 95mm. *Extremely fine*. £200-250

SYRIA



International Fair, Damascus, Æ Medal, 1957, by Huguenin, arms, rev symbols of industry and agriculture, and legend, 60mm. Nearly extremely fine.

SAUDI ARABIA

Olympic Committee, a large irregular rectangular Silvered and Gilt Presentation Plaquette, undated, by Etalix (Cairo), inset at top with medallion of Saudi crest with enamelled Olymic rings, 210mm x 148mm, set into stand, within fitted velvet case. *Choice and as issued.* £50-70

PAHLAVI



Muhammad Reza Shah (1320-1358h), brass Medal, 1337sh, Arabic legend in five lines in centre, further legend and date around, *rev* interior of a mosque, 29mm. *Extremely fine*. £40-60

BANKNOTES

ALGERIA

- Banque de l'Algerie, Specimen 20-Francs, 0 February 1296 (1912), *obv* portrait of young woman at lower right, *rev* two youths amidst plants, overprinted SPECIMEN in red on both sides (P 9 for type). *About uncirculated and rare.* £200-250
- Banque de l'Algerie, Specimen 100-Francs, 6 March 9128 (1920), *obv* two boys at left, Arab with camel at right, *rev* woman and child, overprinted SPECIMEN in red on both sides (P 19 for type). Lower left hand corner fractionally torn, otherwise about uncirculated and rare. £250-300

LIBYA

491 United Kingdom of Libya, Specimen £10, undated (1951), serial no. A2 000000, red SPECIMEN overprint on both sides and two cancellation punches over the serial numbers (P 11). Uncirculated. £500-700

SUDAN

- Sudan Currency Board, Specimen 25-Piastres, undated (1956 issue), *obv* soldiers in formation at left, *rev* desert camel rider, overprinted SPECIMEN, punched hole cancelled (P 1b for type). *Good extremely fine and rare.*£200-250
- Sudan Currency Board, Specimen £5, undated (1956 issue), *obv* dhow at left, *rev* desert camel rider, overprinted CANCELLED in red, four punched holes (P 4 for type). *Good extremely fine and rare*.
- Sudan Currency Board, Specimen £10, undated (1956 issue), *obv* building at left, *rev* desert camel rider, overprinted in red CANCELLED, four punched holes (P 5 for type). *Uncirculated and rare.* £400-500

ZANZIBAR

- British Protectorate, The Zanzibar Government, 5-Rupees, 1 August 1916, serial no. 90081, uniface, dhow at left, fruit pickers to right, printed by Waterlow & Sons, London (P 2). Heavy horizontal fold, about very fine and rare.
- British Protectorate, The Zanzibar Government, 10-Rupees, 1 February 1928, serial no. 132485, uniface, dhow at left, fruit pickers to right, printed by Waterlow & Sons, London (P 3). *Good very fine and rare.*£3,500-4,500
- British Protectorate, The Zanzibar Government, 20-Rupees, 1 August 1916, serial no. 160036, uniface, dhow at left, fruit pickers to right, printed by Waterlow & Sons, London (P 4). A little grafitti on the back, very fine and very rare. £5,000-7,000

see colour illustration on back cover

EGYPT

- National Bank of Egypt, Unissued Uniface 50-Piastres, no date (1899), no serial number, Sphinx at centre, denomination in each corner, red CANCELLED overprint at centre (cf P 3). *A little dirty and has been expertly repaired, extremely fine, very rare.* £1,800-2,400
- National Bank of Egypt, 50-Piastres, 1 January 1899, CAIRO, serial no. A1 253991, Sphinx at centre, denomination in each corner (P 3). Good, four heavy folds, central hole and glue repair on the back, extremely rare.
- 500 National Bank of Egypt, 50-Piastres, 6 June 1917, CAIRO, serial no. P16 017,947, Sphinx at left (P 4). *Extremely fine.*
- 501 National Bank of Egypt, £1, 5 November 1918, CAIRO, serial no. S35 069,934 (P 8); £5, 2 February 1944, CAIRO, serial no. M82 003404 (P 16c). *Fine and about very fine.* (2) £150-200
- National Bank of Egypt, £1, 20 August 1919, CAIRO, serial no. S70 094,126, blue and pink, signed by Rowlatt (P 8). About very fine. £150-250
- National Bank of Egypt, £1, 16 June 1924, CAIRO, serial no. H16 070,429, red and blue, camel at centre (P 9). *Good fine, hole at centre.* £150-250
- National Bank of Egypt, £5, 22 November 1918, CAIRO, serial no. W32 065831, Great Pyramid and sail-boat at centre (P 15). Paperclip mark to right, otherwise very fine. £350-450
- National Bank of Egypt, Proof £5, Uniface obverse colour trial, undated (1924), no serial number, green colour only, Egyptian bank, denomination in each corner, ink handwritten notes in border: '1* PROOFS' top right and 'END COLOR' lower left (cf P 16); together with a Specimen £50 reverse, green, perforated SPECIMEN below design. Both uncirculated, first with slight mount damage. (2) £400-500

- National Bank of Egypt, Proof £5, Uniface obverse and reverse colour trials (2), undated (1924), no serial number, obe violet/purple colour only, Egyptian bank, denomination in each corner, ink handwritten notes in border: '1* PROOFS' top right and 'CENTRE COLOUR' lower left, rev red and blue only, palm trees, ink handwritten notes in border: 'SPECIAL BLUE' at bottom with 'SPECIAL BRIGHT RED' to either side (cf P 16). Mount-marks to left on the back, uncirculated and very rare. (2) £800-1,200 see next lot for the colours that were finally chosen
- National Bank of Egypt, Unissued £5, undated (1924), overprinted in black and perforated "CANCELLED" in four languages and with eight official cancellation punches, perforated "0420", "1924" in blue ink in top right border (cf P 16). *Uncirculated.*
- National Bank of Egypt, £10, 5 January 1918, CAIRO, serial no. X14 047253, brown, Mosque of Sultan Qala'un (P 20). Fine.
- National Bank of Egypt, Unissued £10, 3 March 1931, CAIRO, overprinted in red and perforated "CANCELLED" in four languages and with eight official cancellation punches, perforated "451" below date, "1931" in blue ink in top right border (cf P 21). *Uncirculated.* £600-800
- National Bank of Egypt, £50, 1 March 1945, CAIRO, serial no. N7 088651, blue, Mamluk tombs and camel caravan at centre, signed by Nixon (P 24). About very fine. £300-500
- National Bank of Egypt, £100, 3 April 1945, CAIRO, serial no. K8 041886, red and green, mosque at right, camel at left, signed by Nixon (P 28). *Good very fine*. £250-350
- National Bank of Egypt, Unissued Set of King Farouk Banknotes, £100, £50, £5 and £1 (1946-1950), all overprinted in black and perforated "CANCELLED" in four languages and with eight official cancellation punches, each with a different blue-ink date annotation in top right border (cf P 29, 25, 17, 12). *Uncirculated, an interesting and colourful set, rare.* (4) £1,500-2,000
- National Bank of Egypt, Set of King Farouk Banknotes, £100, 1950, serial no. CD2 086902, £5, 1951, serial no. AB44 019902 and £1, 1952, serial no. 369170 (P 29, 17, 12). First fine, second about very fine, last uncirculated. (3)

PALESTINE

- Palestine Currency Board, £1 (4), 1 September 1927, serial no. B065633, 30 September 1929 (3), serial nos. B788587, B819150 and C133864, green (P 7a, 7c). Fine. (4) £70-90
- Palestine Currency Board, £1 (2), 30 September 1929, serial no. D062992 and 20 April 1939, serial no. R974550, green, rev Tower of David (P 7b, 7c). Good fine and very fine. (2) £120-180
- Palestine Currency Board, £5, 20 April 1939, JERUSALEM, serial no. C779723, red, Crusader's Tower, rev Tower of David (P 8c). Very fine.
- Palestine Currency Board, 500-Mils, 20 April 1939, JERUSALEM, serial no. F157520, purple, Rachel's tomb near Bethlehem, *rev* Tower of David (P 6c). *Good very fine, scarce.* £300-400
- Palestine Currency Board, £10, 7 September 1939, JERUSALEM, serial no. A677494, blue, Crusader's Tower, rev Tower of David (P 9c). About very fine. £500-600

LEBANON

Banque de Syrie du Liban, Specimen 25-Livres, undated (1945), serial no. 0.00 000, perforated SPECIMEN (cf P 51). *Uncirculated and scarce.* £250-350

SYRIA

- Banque de Syrie et du Grand Liban, Specimen for 1939 Provisional Issue 100-Livres, undated, serial no. 0.00 000 within colourful border, perforated "SPECIMEN", black "SYRIE 1939" overprint (cf P 39d). *Uncirculated*.
- Banque de Syrie et du Grand Liban, 5-Livres, serial no. KX 043,665 and 1-Livre, serial no. JBD 039,622, both 1 September 1939, DAMAS (P 41c, 40c). About very fine. (2) £100-120
- Banque de Syrie et du Liban, 5-Livres, 1 September 1939 (P 41e), 1-Livre (8), 1 September 1939, without line overprint (2), overprint type B (5) and overprint type E (P 40a, 40c, 40f); Republique Syrienne, 10- and 5-Piastres, 1942 (P 50, 49), 10- and 5-Piastres, 1944 (P 56, 55). First fine to very fine, otherwise generally good very fine or better, some about uncirculated. (13)

JORDAN

Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, 1949 (1952) issue, 10-Dinars, serial no. 739661, 5-Dinars, serial no. 784436, 1-Dinar, serial no. 914988, King Hussein at right (P 8, 7, 6). Second with small amount of grafitti on front, very fine or nearly so. (3)

SAUDI ARABIA

Haj Pilgrim Receipt Issue, 10-Riyals, 1373h (1954), 10-Riyals, 1379h (1961) and 100-Riyals, 1379h (1966), signature 2 (P 4, 8a, 15a). First extremely fine, the second very fine and the third with very small ink mask on reverse, otherwise about uncirculated. (3)

YEMEN

- South Arabian Currency Authority, 1965 issue, 10-Dinars (2), 5-Dinars (15), 1-Dinar (88) and 250-Fils (30) (P 5, 4b, 3b, 1b). The 10-Dinars only very fine, otherwise all good very fine or better, many uncirculated. (135)
- 526 Arab Republic of Yemen, 50-Rials, undated (1971), 20-Rials, undated (1971), 10-Rials, undated (1969), 5-Rials, undated (1969), 1-Rial, undated (1969) and 20-Bugshas (7), undated (1966) (P 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5). *All uncirculated.* (12) £250-300
- 527 Bank of Yemen, 1984 issue, 10-Dinars (5), 5-Dinars (28) and 1-Dinar (9) (P 9a, 8b, 7). *Good very fine or better, many uncirculated.* (42) £100-120

QATAR

Qatar Monetary Agency, Proof 500-Riyals, uniface colour trial, undated (1973), no serial number, green and purple only (cf P 6). *Uncirculated and rare.* £500-700

IRAO

- Government of Iraq, Proof 10-Dinars, Uniface obverse and reverse colour trials (2), undated (c.1937), no serial number, *obv* violet/purple colour only, King Ghazi at right, denomination in each corner, ink handwritten notes in border: "VIOLET No.1" top left, "AP. 14th 37", top right, "SIGNATURES TAKEN OUT OF PLATE & OVERPRINTED. PORTRAIT ALTERED" underneath, *rev* violet/purple colour only, ink handwritten notes in top border: "PLATE VIO No.1" (cf P 11). Obverse with paperclip rust mark top left, both uncirculated and very rare. (2) £1,200-1,800
- Government of Iraq, second issue, 1-Dinar (3), serial nos. E571,488, E786,635, F085,741 (P 9); JORDAN, Hashemite Kingdom, 1949 (1952) issue, 1-Dinar, serial no. 250186 (P 6). About very fine. (4) £180-220
- 531 National Bank, Faisal II (1939-1958), 1-Dinar, 1931 (P 18), 10-, 5- and 1-Dinar, 1947 (P 31, 30, 29), 10- and 1-Dinar, 1947 (P 41, 39); Central Bank, ½-Dinar, 1947 (P 43). First three very fine, others good very fine or better. (7)

IRAN

- Kingdom of Persia, Imperial Bank of Persia, 2-Tomans, 15 May 1918, serial no. PB055392, PAYABLE AT BUSHIRE ONLY overprinted in black (P 2). Expertly repaired, very good, scarce. £200-300
- Kingdom of Persia, Imperial Bank of Persia, 2-Tomans, 17 June 1925, serial no. BS006,831, green, PAYABLE AT KERMAN ONLY overprinted in black (P 12). Heavy horizontal fold with some separation, otherwise good fine.
- Kingdom of Persia, Imperial Bank of Persia, 5-Tomans, 26 January 1931, serial no. CM 031846, green, Shah Muzaffar-al-Din at right, PAYABLE AT KERMANSHAH ONLY overprinted in black (P 13). Repairs along folds, otherwise very fine.
- Kingdom of Persia, Imperial Bank of Persia, 10-Tomans, 9 August 1930, serial no. DB 049250, blue, Shah Muzaffar-al-Din at right, rev PAYABLE AT TEHERAN ONLY (P 14). Repairs along folds, otherwise very fine.
- Kingdom of Iran, Bank Melli Iran, Proof 20-Rials, Uniface obverse and reverse colour specimens, undated (c.1932), red, *obv* Shah Reza at centre, *rev* lion at centre, printed by American Bank Note Company (P 20 for issued note). *Uncirculated and scarce*. (2) £600-800
- Kingdom of Iran, Bank Melli Iran, First Issue, Shah Reza Specimen Set, 5-, 10-, 20-, 50-, 100- and 500-Rials, all with serial no. 00000 and SPECIMEN overprint in black or red, 100-Rials with an extra no. F9347 top left, all with two cancel punches in lower design, the 50- and 100-Rials with extra paper along top and "Return to RECORD & SPECIMEN DEPT" stamped in red (cf P 18-23). Extremely fine to uncirculated. (6)
- Kingdom of Iran, Bank Melli Iran, Specimen 5-, 10-, 20- and 50-Rials, undated (c.1934), each with red or black serial no. 00000, SPECIMEN overprints and two cancellation punch-holes (P 24-27 for issued notes). *Uncirculated and scarce*. (4)

 £400-500
- Kingdom of Iran, Bank Melli Iran, Second Issue, Shah Reza Specimen Set, 5-, 10-, 20-, 50-, 100-, 500- and 1000-Rials, all with serial no. 00000 and SPECIMEN overprint in black or red, all with two cancel punches in lower design (cf P 24-30). *All uncirculated, an impressive set.* (7) £2,000-2,500
- Kingdom of Iran, Bank Melli Iran, Specimen 100-Rials (1-Pahlevi), brown, undated with a single cancellation punch to right, Shah Reza to left, black "A" in top right border. *Uncirculated*. £1,800-2,200
- Kingdom of Iran, Bank Melli Iran, Specimen 100-Rials, undated (c.1934), black serial no. 00000, purple, Shah Reza at right, Persepolis at left, *rev* lion at right, two black SPECIMEN overprints, two punchholes below (P 28 for issued note). *Staple holes in top border, otherwise uncirculated and scarce.* £300-400
- Kingdom of Iran, Bank Melli Iran, Specimen 1000-Rials, undated (c.1934), red serial no. 00000, green, Shah Reza at right, warrior killing mythical beast to left, *rev* two lions, red SPECIMEN at centre, punch-holes to either side (P 30 for issued note). *Uncirculated and scarce.* £500-700
- Kingdom of Iran, Bank Melli Iran, 1000-Rials, 1317h (1938), serial no. A824040, green, rev mountains (P 38A). Repairs in three borders, otherwise very fine.

AFGHANISTAN

- Bank of Afghanistan, First Issue, Specimen 100- and 500-Afghanis, 1318h (1939), serial no. 000000, red SPECIMEN overprint and three official cancellation punch-holes on both (cf P 26, 27). *Good extremely fine.* (2)
- Bank of Afghanistan, First Issue, Specimen 2-, 10-, 20- and 50-Afghanis, 1318h (1939), serial no. 000000, red SPECIMEN overprint and three official cancellation punch-holes on each (cf P 21, 23, 24, 25), good extremely fine and better; with a cancelled 1939 circulated 50-Afghanis, serial no. 393097, black inked lines across note and purple Arabic handstamp (P 22), about very fine. (5) £150-200

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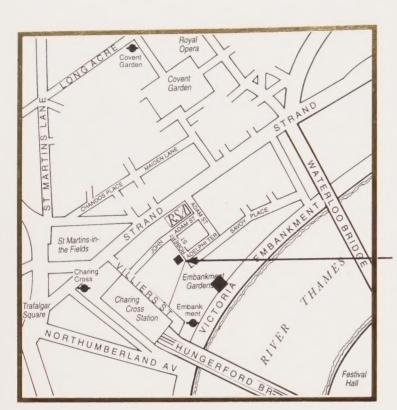
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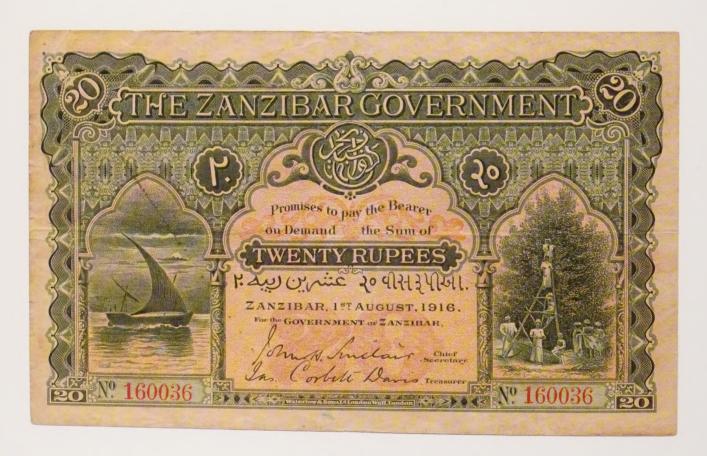
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